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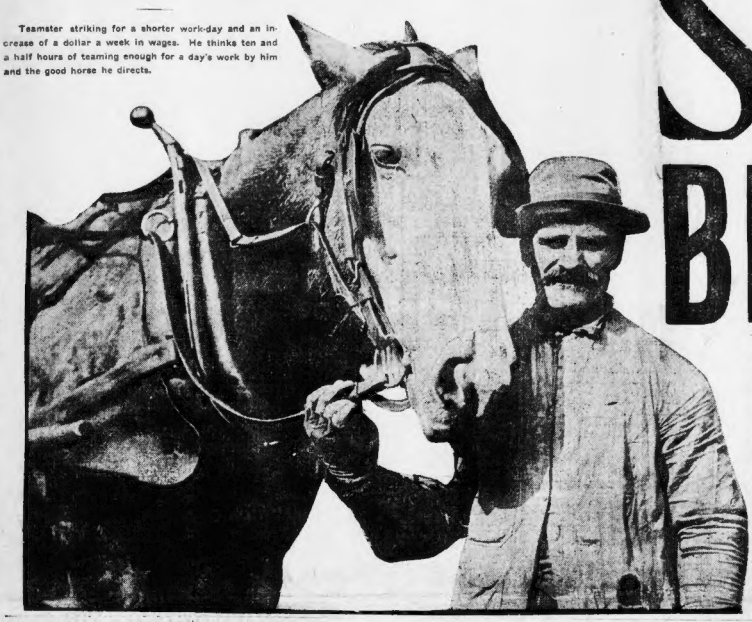
TEN AND A HALF HOURS ENOUGH FOR THEM?

Teamster striking for a shorter work-day and an increase of a dollar a week in wages. He thinks ten and a half hours of teaming enough for a day's work by him and the good horse he directs.



STRIKE BREAKERS HERE

Big Crowd Arrives to Take Places of Teamsters Who Are Out. Closely Guarded by Police and Private Detectives—Say More Are Coming.

Guarded by a score of private detectives and a detail of police, two hundred strike-breakers, brought here from New York to smash the teamsters' strike, are quartered in the buildings, Nos. 161 to 169 Albany street. To-day marks the first big effort the Master Teamsters have made to work their teams since Wednesday.

In squads of fifteen and twenty the strikebreakers are being taken to the stables in South Boston to take out the teams abandoned by union drivers.

"Five hundred non-union men will be here by o-morrow," said the man who brought them to Boston. "More are on the way now."

POLICE SQUAD SENT TO SCENE.

Captain Bradley, a former police official of New York, is in active charge of the strike-breakers. He is assisted by twenty private detectives.

Police Captain Cain, as soon as the presence of the crowd was made known to him, sent Sergeants O'Brien and Bowley and a squad of officers to the scene. The building where the men are quartered is only a short distance from Broadway, and the arrival of the large number of men, caused a commotion.

A number of men wearing teamsters' buttons walked past the building, looked the crowd over carefully and went on their way.

Two huge rooms occupying the third and fourth floors of the building have been set apart for the quartering of the men.

SUPPLIES SPILLED IN STREET.

Immediately after their arrival loaded wagons with bedding and provisions commenced to arrive. One, overloaded on the end, tipped up and filled the streets with canned goods and provisions. Only the efforts of the police saved the goods from being confiscated by a crowd of young sters.

Although nothing will be said by those in charge of the strike-breakers, all of the firms against whom a strike has been declared are taking what they can get of them. They were distributed about the various stables in South Boston, about twenty going to each stable in charge of two detectives.

J. S. Hilliard & Son and the Boston Forwarding and Transfer Company each received some of the first men sent out.

Says 300 More On the Way.

Said one of the detectives:

"By to-morrow you will find sixty or our men and five hundred or these fellows in Boston ready to start in Monday morning in earnest. We don't expect any trouble."

The two hundred arrived on the first train in from New York at the Back Bay Station at 8 o'clock. They were taken out through the station in a compact body, and guided by those who had been waiting their arrival, went through Columbus avenue, Berkeley and Castle streets, Shawmut avenue, Corning, Washington and Oak streets to Albany.

Most of them brought their working clothes with them. Some had valises. Others carried satchels and a few dress suit cases were to be seen.

"Those two fellows there are actors," said a detective pointing out two men in frock coats who looked the part. Others were young fellows, students apparently. Some were good natured, others frightened.

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'PRANK,' SAYS HARVARD MAN, HELD AS THIEF

"Burglary" Was Perpetrated in Chums' Room, Following Freshman Festivities.

Percival W. Rowe, a Harvard freshman whose home is in Valatie, N. Y., where his father is a well-to-do merchant, was held in bonds of $1,000 to-day to answer April 12 to charges of burglary brought against him by a colored porter in Hastings dormitory.

After he had been held in the Cambridge Police Court to-day Rowe said he is a member of the Hasty Pudding Club and had dined at the freshman banquet at the Auditorium House last Monday night.

Calls It Porter's Spite.

"I came back to the dormitory and got into the room of Hamilton L. and Prescott T. Larze, two brothers, who are my friends. I took two diamond studs and a meerschaum pipe from the room.

"I was discovered there by a colored porter whom I had reprimanded in the past. He took the chance of getting even with me.

"The boys in whose room I was found will not prosecute me. I have already given back one of the studs. I would give back the other and the pipe if I knew where they were."

Rowe went to Union College and to Princeton before coming to Harvard and had no trouble of any sort in either school. He has never had any trouble here until this thing came up. My father keeps me supplied with as much money as I need and there was no necessity for me to steal anything.

Nothing of the sort would have happened had I not dined too well."

Friends Believe Him.

Rowe's relatives were notified of his plight to-day. Some of the friends of his family live in Southerst, and they will assist him.

It is expected that by getting bail before night he will escape occupying a cell in the Middlesex County Jail.

Rowe is a big chap physically. Much of his time has been spent in Boston, where he has many friends. He has always been well supplied with money and has had no hesitancy in spending it.

His friends at Harvard accept his explanation and think that he will get out of the present scrape.

THE WEATHER.

To-day fair and colder. Sunday fair, with slowly rising temperature; northerly to easterly winds.

High tide—5:23 a. m., 6:02 p. m.

Sun rises—5:19; sets, 6:15.

Moon rises—1:55 a. m.

Reports of Russian Regency in London

SAY CZAR IS INSANE

Ruler's Mind Declared to Be Completely Broken Down Mentally..

LONDON, April 6.—The Daily Mirror, one of the Harmsworth publications, announces on what it asserts to be excellent authority that the Czar of Russia will resign within a month and that the Grand Duke Michael will be appointed regent during the infancy of the Czarevitch.

It adds that the Duma will be abolished and a military dictatorship will be formed with the object of stamping out revolution and ending the present anarchy in Russia.

The paper further says that the Czar's mind has completely given way lately, and that he has shown himself to be incapable of performing the smallest duties of his rank.

Denied at Russian Embassy.

The Mirror submitted this report to the Russian embassy, where it was denied. Nevertheless, it insists that its information is correct, and that the details of the scheme, which is now definitely settled, have been decided in outline for a month.

The Mirror says the Czar is at times unable to sign his name, and writes very much like a child. Something like a panic has reigned of late in the royal household. The Czarina is almost heartbroken at the pitiable plight of her husband.

The certainty of his forced abdication, which has long been dawning upon him, has been hastened by the drift of events and his own breakdown. Now, tired of it all, he is willing enough to risk obscurity and yield the reins of office to a stronger man.

Grand Duke to Take Up Work.

The Grand Duke Michael is grief stricken at his brother's condition. He has shrunk from the responsibility of taking over the control of the great empire, but as the result of a series of family conclaves, in which the Dowager Czarina took a leading part, he has been convinced of the necessity of sacrificing himself.

The Mirror also asserts that the visit of the Dowager Czarina to England, which ended on Friday when she started for Russia in company with her sister, Queen Alexandra, was due to the Russian political situation. She came here for the purpose of negotiating a marriage between the Grand Duke Michael and Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein, one of the most popular of the English royalties, who was a great favorite of the late Queen Victoria.

Plans for Marriage.

The Princess accepted the proposal and the marriage may take place in April or the first week in May if nothing happens to upset the arrangements. The wedding will possibly take place in England, but more likely on the Riviera. It will be simple, without pomp, although possibly there will be a grand function at St. Petersburg later.

As the laws of the Russian Court compel the wives of members of the imperial family to belong to the Greek Orthodox Church, it was essential that the Princess Victoria, who is a Protestant, should join that communion. The Dowager Czarina, who was reared a Protestant, has had some difficulty in persuading the Princess to change her religion, but she finally prevailed.

The court-big will be very brief for thus far the Grand Duke Michael has not personally proposed marriage, the matter having been entirely arranged by letters. Princess Victoria, however, is well acquainted with Grand Duke Michael. She is a frequent correspondent with the Russian imperial family and is one of the Dowager Czarina's principal friends.

King Keeps Aloof.

King Edward's position, says the Mirror, has been one of strict aloofness throughout the negotiations. When he was approached on the subject he positively declined to have anything to do with it, preferring the matter entirely to the Princess Victoria herself.

The King will not even listen to any reference to the matter, although he may possibly attend the wedding.

Grand Duke Michael to Assume Power During the Minority of Czarewitch

Immediately the regency is declared some important diplomatic changes will be made, the story says. Count Benckendorff will be promoted from the embassy here to one of the highest appointments in St. Petersburg. He is a great favorite of the Dowager Czarina, who considers that his knowledge and experiences are indispensable.

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EXHUME BODY OF WOMAN WHO 'BURNED ALIVE'

Under the direction of Medical Examiner Macdonald, who was authorized by District Attorney John F. Moran, the body of Mrs. Albert F. Hurvitz of No. 50 Dwight street, who died in agony after taking tablets prescribed for bronchitis, was to-day exhumed and the stomach and viscera removed for chemical examination.

Dr. Charles Boocher of No. 229 Harrison avenue is said to have prescribed the medicine. Dr. Boocher is said to be out of town at present. Dr. Silveris, owner of the dispensary where Boucher is employed, stardily champions him, and claims that he was not at fault in the least.

Dr. Silveris said: "I went up to see Mrs. Hurvitz an hour after Dr. Boucher saw her and can see no reason for changing the medicine. There was nothing in the medicine to harm her, no coal tar products, and the sensation which she experienced was the pressure of the blood internally."

FINGERS CUT OFF BY MACHINERY

ANTRIM, N. H., April 6.—While operating a circular saw in one of the mills of the Goodell Cutlery Company yesterday afternoon, Robert Beattie caught his right hand in the machinery and had all of the fingers taken off. He collapsed on the way to the office of a physician to have his wounds dressed, from loss of blood.

MAPLE SUGAR SHOW AT JAMESTOWN FAIR

ELLSWORTH, Me., April 6.—The shipment of maple sugar which is to go to the Jamestown Exposition for display is nearly ready to be sent.

HUB BROKERS FAIL; CAUGHT IN STOCK PANIC

The stock brokerage firm of Webster F. Putnam & Co. at No. 50 State street, room 217, made a voluntary assignment to-day to Archer P. French.

It is understood on the street that the firm was caught long on copper in the recent break down to 80, and that it was unable to realize on its assets, mainly real estate, in time to protect itself. The creditors, however, will be paid dollar for dollar, according to a report on the street, as soon as the firm's affairs are straightened out.

The firm is composed of Webster F. Putnam of Danvers and L. H. Parkhurst of No. 23 Elm Hill Park, Roxbury. Mr. Putnam was admitted to the Boston Stock Exchange in 1880.

DECAYED MEAT CANAL RATIONS?

WASHINGTON, April 6.—That decayed meat is part of the diet of the American workmen on the Panama canal is an additional charge made to-day by Representative Rhett of Illinois, against the commissary department of the Isthmian Canal Commission, as a rejoinder to the denial by the commission of his general charges made when he returned several days ago from a personal investigation of conditions along the big ditch.

FELL INTO FLUME.

NORTH WOLCOTT, Vt., April 6.—Walter Saidin, while repairing the dams at Saidin's mill, fell through the planking and was later picked up in the river below in a half drowned condition. He will recover.

FIRE FROM EXPLOSION OF DUST; 2 PERISH

In an explosion of spice dust in the old, Newhall spice mill, owned by S. W. Gould & Bro. of Malden, in Saugus early to-day, two men were burned to death and several persons narrowly escaped the same fate in the fire which completely consumed the mill. The dwelling house of Mrs. Mary Freeman and several small frame buildings nearby were destroyed, causing a total damage estimated at $45,000.

The dead men are Michael Desmond, fifty-seven years of age, single, living at No. 17 Burnham street, Malden, and Osborne S. Ellis, fifty years of age, married, who leaves, beside his wife, a son and daughter at No. 14 Page street, Malden.

The explosion in the grinding mill came at about 1 o'clock, and the fire which followed raged for three hours. Chief Thompson and members of the Saugus Fire Department entered the building as soon as possible and in a small room used by the night force in the mill found the charred bodies of the two men.

Thrilling rescues were made by the firemen of John Murphy, an employe of the Hutchinson grocery store, Mrs. Ada Freeman and Miss Olive Ryder, just before the flames reached them. The fire damaged the old Colony Building, the store of E. J. Carvely, as well as the bridge over the Saugus River, the Masonic Building and the East Saugus Opera House.

Got Help from Lynn.

The Saugus fire department found from the beginning that it was beyond their capacity, and assistance was asked from Lynn. An alarm was sounded in that city from box 25, and this was followed by a second alarm from the same box.

The mill explosion blew out the side of the building, and when the alarm was given the two and one-half story wooden structure was ablaze.

The wooden dwelling opposite, occupied by John Murphy, an invalid, who had a variety store on the ground floor, and who lived upstairs, was destroyed. Mr. Murphy was taken from his room by the Saugus firemen after his bed had caught fire.

Flames Spread Rapidly.

The flames jumped to a small wooden bakery owned and run by Herbert Upham, and from there to the Old Colony building, owned by F. J. Cavalry, and a fish market owned by Clarence Coates.

The two-story store and dwelling house of Mrs. Mary Freeman next caught and the hose house of the East Saugus fire company. While the fire was spreading on this side of the street, the Masonic building next to the mill also caught, and the bridge began to burn.

CREW ESCAPES SINKING CRAFT

The schooner F. H. Lane of Boston, bound with a cargo of sand for Lynn, ran aground last night off Milk Island, and sank almost immediately after going clear. The crew had and his two sailors left the sinking schooner in a lifeboat, and after a couple of hours, during which they were tossed around in a heavy sea, they were picked up by a schooner and landed here. The F. H. Lane was a seventy-two ton schooner, built in Essex in 1872.

ABSTAINERS MEET MONDAY.

The directors of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence Society, at a meeting to be held Monday noon, will consider suggestions for legislative work during 1908.

JAP WARSHIP BIGGEST YET

LONDON, April 6.—It is reported here that the largest battleship in the world, to have a displacement of 21,000 tons, is to be built in Japan for the Japanese government, and that a commission is on its way here from Japan for the purpose of placing the contract. The cost of this new battleship will be about $11,250,000.

VETERAN HAS NEW AIR FOR "AMERICA"

CLINTON, N. H., April 6.—John Fletcher, the veteran musician, who composed the air of "Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party," fifty years ago, has completed a new air for the national anthem "America."

BEFRIENDED BY MORAN; CLEARED BY GRAND JURY

Sinclair, for Whom the District Attorney Gave Bail, Goes Free.

"NO BILL" IS RETURNED

When the Grand Jury made its report to Judge Brown to-day, one of the men in the courtroom was Edward O. Sinclair, who, upon Thursday, had been released from jail upon a cash bond of $400, furnished by District Attorney Moran. The District Attorney pledged his money's worth in order that Sinclair, who was awaiting trial charged with larceny, might attend the funeral of his mother Thursday afternoon.

To-day, when the Grand Jury was to report upon Sinclair's case, together with others, Sinclair was the first man to appear in the court room.

He went to District Attorney Moran first, saying that he was willing to surrender himself into custody.

The Grand Jury returning a "no bill" against Sinclair, the latter walked away a free man.

He had been accompanied to the court-room by his sister. She was dressed in deep mourning.

She and her brother both went to District Attorney Moran's office and thanked him for having made it possible for Sinclair to be out of jail on the day that his mother was buried.

A "no bill" was returned also in the case of George I. Seaver, who shot and killed W. F. Saunders during a quarrel at No. 33 Wellington street March 30.

In the list of indictments and "no bills" given out by the district attorney's office to-day no mention was made of the Harry Nawa section of the Fenway contract. Seven witnesses were heard by the grand jury Friday, but so far as the report of the grand jury shows, no action was taken by that body.

THE TRAGEDY OF AN IMPERIAL FAMILY.

Czarina of Russia and her eldest daughter at the bedside of the infant Czarewitch, facing revolution and possible massacre in their prison palace.

EMPLOYERS TIE STRIKERS BY INJUNCTION

Garment Workers Forbidden to Even Request Non-Union Workmen to Quit Shops.

Judge Schofield has granted an injunction sweeping in its character and provisions against the officers and members of the United Garment Workers of America, the members and officers of the Cutters' Local Union No. 26, the members and officers of Pressers' Local Union No. 6 and the members and officers of the Garment Workers' Local Union No. 13, at the request of Ernest Asscherch and Benjamin Wasserman, under the firm name of E. Asscherch & Co., forbidding the enjoined men from influencing persons from engaging in the establishment of the complaining firm or from inducing about the premises or from intimidating any of the firm's employes or congregating near the premises.

Another injunction exactly similar in character and purpose was also granted by Judge Schofield against the same officers and members of the same garment Worker's Unions at the request of the M. Z. Skirt Company.

These injunctions order "each of you, the said respondents, to desist and refrain from requesting, persuading or in any manner attempting to procure any persons to leave or not to re-enter the employment of the complainants where said persons are under contract with the complainants to work for the complainants and from appealing, picketing, plotting or setting as pickets at or about the complainants' premises, or at or about the premises or courses of travel of any of the complainants' employes."

The injunction continues: "You are enjoined from coercing any of the complainants' employes, or any person coming to or going from the complainants' premises and from congregating near the complainants' premises, or the courses of travel or abodes of its employes, in large numbers, for the purpose of threatening, intimidating or coercing any of the complainants' employes or any persons who are known to be intending to become such."

WOULD BREAK $50,000 WILL OF PATROLMAN

That John H. Doyle, a patrolman who for fifteen years was attached to Station No. 15 in Charlestown, amassed $50,000 during his lifetime, became known to-day when his sister, Mrs. Thomas Malley of Revere, filed a petition in Probate Court that she would contest her brother's will.

Under that will the bulk of Doyle's estate goes to his other two sisters, Elizabeth and Mary Doyle. They are milliners at 216 Hanover street.

Charging that undue influence was used in getting Doyle to make over his property to their sister, Mrs. Malley, to-day asked that she be permitted to give testimony in support of her contention. The case will be heard in the Probate Court April 29.

CLEVELAND RAILWAY WAR.

CLEVELAND, O., April 6.—The Cleveland Railway Company to-day again refused to consider any propositions from a so-called bonding company, and has raised the price of tickets to eleven for fifty cents.

COURT-MARTIAL FREMONT.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Major Francis P. Fremont, of the British United States Infantry, is to be court-martialed as a result of his petition in bankruptcy last year. Major Fremont is a son of the late General John C. Fremont and has been in China.

REPORTED CZAR IS SOON TO ABDICATE

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ble to the Russian government in this crisis.

Russo-British Entente.

Much more important, there will be a complete alteration on the European situation. The resulting change will primarily mean a great step toward a complete Russo-British entente, to which France will be a party. Great Britain, France and Russia will then form the most powerful combination in Europe. Germany's influence as a consequence will wane considerably.

The Dowager Czarina, like all true Danes, hates Germany, and the fact that the Czarina is a German has been responsible for frequent quarrels between them.

Regarding Russia's future, the Mirror says that Grand Duke Michael has already laid down his policy, which has been discussed and approved at family conclaves. He will summarily end the Duma and all other attempts at representative government.

Reign of Blood and Iron.

A military dictatorship will be established under General Count Ignatieff. The world will reckon it as a reign of blood and iron, but that will be the case. The Grand Duke is a man in whom great sagacity is blended with kindness, and he is a statesman of high order. He says in effect that in Russia the only thing respected is brute strength.

"It would be better," he adds, "for Russia to have a hundred thousand persons slain in one day and then tranquility, than that month after month the sacrifice of blood should be poured out without any progress. Seventy-five per cent. of the Russians are illiterate.

"I will establish schools all over the empire. We will break down the stupendous ignorance of the people first and step by step we will crush out the spirit of rebellion by which at the bottom of the fantastics the ignorant peasants are made a sacrifice."

England as a Model.

The Grand Duke is an intense admirer of England and England's institutions. With the help of an English wife he will hold England up as an example to be copied.

In Russian court circles the utmost enthusiasm prevails. A new spirit has permeated things, and succeeding to the blank dismay of the last few months there is bright anticipation, qualified, however, by the knowledge that the first days of the new regime may be days of terror.

No direct hint comes from St. Petersburg to support the Mirror's story. English correspondents there, however, take a gloomy view of the state of the country and reaffirm their conviction that the Duma's end is in sight. The Telegraph's correspondents say that the centre of gravity is beyond the walls of the Tauride palace, where the Duma is sitting. It is in the cities and rural districts where forces passions, hardly suppressed, are turning human beings into wild beasts.

Loads of Revolution.

Revolutionary emissaries are sowing seeds of disaffection in the army, but some bodies of the troops are animated by feelings diametrically opposite and equally powerful and equally explosive.

The Chronicle's correspondent says that the Grand Ducal party is increasing in strength. The union of the Russian people has ridden its committees on the day of the dissolution of the Duma to organize anti-Jewish outbreaks similar to those at Kishineff and Bielostok. The reactionaries headed by Count Bobrinsky have decided to hasten dissolution, to replace Premier Stolypin with Grand Duke Nicholas, to suspend specie payments and to issue a manifesto explaining this, the repudiation system, owing to the backwardness of the peasants, makes the non-Russian element preponderant and so endangers Russia's existence.

Stolypin Still Holds Reins.

This assertion of the Chronicle's correspondent reads like an echo of part of the Mirror's story, but the idea of replacing the Premier with a Grand Duke with dictatorial powers has long been one of the favorite and most fondly formulated panaceas of the reactionaries.

Premier Stolypin, so far as can be learned at the moment, still holds the reins, although he would be a daring prophet who would forecast the events of to-morrow.

STRIKE BREAKERS HERE; GUARDED

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ened, while not a few appeared to be able to take care of themselves in any kind of a crowd.

Engage Other Quarters.

It was said by the detectives that none of the strike breakers was armed.

Other quarters have been engaged in various parts of the city for the rest of the men who arrive to-day or to-morrow.

South Boston woke up when the strike-breakers arrived and crowds gathered about the stables. They were kept at a distance by the police. There were few union teamsters to be seen in the crowd, and those who were there simply kept watch of what was going on and reported to their headquarters.

Reserves in Readiness.

Immediately after the men arrived at the stables they commenced the work of getting teams ready.

While the police do not expect any trouble from the strikers, they are taking every precaution to prevent any disturbance from the crowds on the streets. Superintendent Pierce, at Police Headquarters, is receiving constant reports from the various commanders, and is ready to rush any number of officers to any point where there may be trouble.

Firm Members as Drivers.

So serious had the situation become from the employers' side of the question that members of the firm took a hand to-day in trying to get some of the work done. Two of the firm or Johnson & Co. got out light wagons to-day and came over to their business places escorted by police officers.

Under command of a sergeant and four-teen policemen, four teams left the stable of Fifield & Richardson in South Boston. One was driven by Mr. Richardson, another was taken out by his foreman, and the two others were in charge of two strike-breakers.

The cavalcade attracted considerable attention as it came through Dorchester avenue. Near the South Station it was met by another detail who relieved the South Boston officers.

Outlook Cheers Strikers.

The union leaders have called the attention of teamsters to the fact that to drive a wagon on which the name of the firm and the number of the license has been blotted out is an offence which can be punished by a fine. It was reported this several teams had been sent out disguised yesterday.

The strikers are exceedingly cheerful over the way in which the strike has been conducted so far. There have been no reports of disorders on the part of the men. They are obeying the order to keep away from the stables, and such incidents as have enlivened the strike, it is claimed, were due to loudness and not to strikers.

AIDS SISTER TO FOIL HUSBAND

LENNI, Del., April 6.—With her stalwart brother, Dick Sheldon, the former Yale guard, as her only protector, Mrs. James Sheldon Stillings has returned to the home of her husband, and while Dick kept watch the servants packed all her valuables and furniture for removal from the house, before her husband, Dr. Stillings, succeeded in reaching home.

This visit was the outcome of the strained relations which have existed between the couple for many weeks and the wife's flight last week, when she claimed that Dr. Stillings had threatened to kill her.

Mrs. Stillings claims she stuck by her husband until she became convinced that he meant to do her harm.

BOY RISKS LIFE TO SAVE CHILD

Special to the Boston American.

NEWFIELD, Me., April 6.—Making his way nimbly from log to log for fifty yards on a big drive while a hundred heedless river drivers watched him, Charles Burbank, a fifteen-year-old boy, finally reached the edge of "the drive" and plunging into the water when it was feather white and the current strong, rescued little six-year-old Simon Spencer as he came up for the last time.

It was one of the most spectacular and daring rescues ever seen in this section, where the dangerous drives make such things frequent.

CHE MIST CROOK IS FREE AGAIN

COLUMBUS, O., April 6.—"Prince" Otto Heury, whose real name is Southern and who was born in Germany, was released from the penitentiary to-day, having served five years for pocket picking.

He is a fine dresser, and, it is charged, swindled many people by saying he could add one-fourth to one-third to the weight of gold by a chemical process. Many men were caught in the swindle and Heury made thousands of dollars.

VICIOUS COW HOOKS WOMAN

MALDEN, April 6.—Only prompt work on the part of neighbors saved Mrs. Charlotte Desmond, wife of Charles Desmond of No. 105 Harvard street, from being hooked to death yesterday afternoon by a vicious cow which she attempted to milk.

The animal caught Mrs. Desmond with its horns and threw her several feet, badly cutting her back. Mrs. Desmond was quickly unconscious and taken to the Malden Hospital. It is feared she is injured internally.

DYING, SHIPPED TOWN TO TOWN

Special to the Boston American.

NORTH ATTLEBORO, April 6.—Chairman John Devlin of the North Attleboro Board of Overseers of the Poor, is making an investigation to find out the cause of the death of Frank Flavin, formerly a resident of this town, who died in the Taft city hospital, Pawtucket. Thursday night. Flavin, after having been shipped from Pawtucket to Attleboro, thence to North Attleboro and then placed in the hospital, Flavin was suffering with four broken ribs, internal injuries and pneumonia, and gave no information as to how he was injured.

ENGLISH SCIENTISTS HERE.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Among the distinguished arrivals from London yesterday were Sir Robert S. Ball, director of the Cambridge Observatory, Professor John Rayes of Oxford and James C. Mcclellan.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
That is LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine. Signature caused remedies sometimes derive. The first and original Cold Tablet is to WHITE PACKAGE with black and red lettering, and bears the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.—advt.

VT. WOULD STOP CANADA SEINING

Special to the Boston American.

ST. ALBANS, Vt., April 6—In a long letter of complaint to Secretary of State Elihu Root, Senator Redfield Proctor of this State declares that the seining on the part of the Canadian Government of the seining agreement in connection with the Lake Champlain fisheries, is a deliberate insult to the United States, and that prerehistory action should be taken to notify Canada of the attitude of our Government.

Minister of Fisheries Jean Provost of Canada, on March 14, 1906, in a communication to the Vermont Fish Commissioner, announced that seining in Missisquoi Bay in the Province of Quebec portion of Lake Champlain would be prohibited.

MAY CAUSE BEER FAMINE.

PITTSBURG, April 6.—The strike of 1,500 brewery workers in twenty-four breweries in this city may result in a beer famine. The largest establishments, employing collectively tied up by the labor trouble.

DYING; BUTTS BRAINS OUT

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., April 6.—One moment after signing his will, having been told there was no hope of his living, because of lung trouble, Percy Wells, thirty-four years of age, a civil engineer, of Wallona, Miss., sprang from a chair and dashed the wall with such violence that he fractured his skull and died immediately.

SMOKED ON CAR, ARRESTED.

RUTLAND, Vt., April 6.—Because he insisted on smoking a pipe on a closed electric car, Patrick McLoughlin was ejected and arrested on a charge of disturbing the peace. He paid a fine of $2 and costs in court.

FLY "LANGLEY'S FOLLY" AGAIN?

WASHINGTON, April 6.—"The Russian," as the great aerodrome invented by the late Professor S. P. Langley of the Smithsonian Institution is known, is soon to be given another trial by Charles M. Manley, who was associated with Professor Langley in the experiments which ended in disaster in 1903.

Mr. Manley invented the lightweight motor which is expected to propel the aerodrome and work the great wings. He, like all other scientists who were associated with Professor Langley, believes that the machine will fly, and that on the occasion when it fell into the Potomac River it was not given a fair test. The aerodrome failed to clear the launching apparatus and pitched headlong into the river.

IDENTIFIES WIFE WHO DENIES HIM BY LIVID SCAR

Claimed by Menezes as Long Lost Bride, Woman Declares He Is Mistaken.

HELD AS A POLYGAMIST

Special to the Boston American.

NEW BEDFORD, April 6.—Facing two men, each of whom claimed to be her husband, in court to-day, Mrs. Mary A. Medeiros turned from Carlos A. Menezes with the remark that far from having ever married him, she had never set eyes on him before. Menezes described a scar on the woman's foot. The matron found it.

Menezes produced a copy of a marriage license by which he claimed he had married Mary A. Correira in Boston in 1898.

Then Medeiros produced his document which showed that he also had married a Mary A. Correira in Boston in 1905.

The woman who is charged with polygamy and is pretty was apparently not disturbed by the statements of Menezes. Even when Mrs. Eliza S. Rose of East Boston and Mrs. Lucy M. De Costa testified that they knew her as the wife of Menezes and had attended the wedding she shook her head in denial.

Menezes had one more card to play. He said that his wife had a scar on her foot, which he described. Mrs. Medeiros was taken in charge by the matron, Mrs. Sarah N. Brownell, and a scar was found. Judge Milliken held the woman in $500 for the Superior Court.

FIGHT MAYOR'S $500,000 LOAN FOR STREETS

Because of a difference of opinion over the manner in which $500,000 for street improvements in which $500,000 for street Bell and Bangs and Councilman Carruth will present a dissenting report when the appropriation bill is reported to the Board of Aldermen Monday.

The Mayor is making up his annual budget purposely refrained from making the total as high by $500,000 as he could have made it, doing so in order to keep down the tax rate down. The $500,000 needed for street improvements the Mayor proposed to raise by a loan. In the Committee on Appropriations Aldermen Bell and Bangs and Councilman Carruth insisted that this was a current expense and should be paid from the tax levy.

Although the committee voted on Wednesday to give Fire Commissioner Wells what he asked for, it reversed its action on yesterday's meeting. He asked for $1,000,000, and the Mayor reduced the amount to $1,500,000. Yesterday the committee compromised and made the amount $1,586,000. Health Department Hern wanted $225,000, which is $15,000 more than the Mayor recommended. The Mayor estimated that $835,000 would be necessary for Lamp Department. Superintendent Hern wanted $25,000 more and we given $3,000 more.

800 IN RIOT AT A LOWELL CARPET MILL

Police Quell Fight Caused by Greeks Who Interferred with Strike Breakers.

BIG PLNT MAY SHUT DOWN

Special to the Boston American.

LOWELL, April 6.—Eight hundred Greeks and Armenians participated in a small-sized riot next door to the mill gates of the Bigelow Carpet Works early to-day. Fists, clubs and stones were freely used, several fighters were knocked out and badly bruised and two men were arrested on charges of assault. The arrival of a squad of police reserves probably prevented fatalities.

The trouble arose when several Greeks, who were among the 200 mill workers who walked out of the carpet works Wednesday, attempted to prevent other Greeks from taking their places in the mill. A fight started at once, which attracted a crowd of workmen, strikers and sympathizers.

The departments in the carpet works affected by the strike include the Brussels dye house, the ingrain department and the wool department. But twelve men were at work in the three branches to-day, and if there are not obtained by Monday it is feared that the entire plant may have to be shut down. Three thousand men are employed in the carpet concern, which is one of Lowell's best industries.

CAPTAIN HERO OF RESCUES ON BURNING LINER

NEW YORK, April 6—Passengers and twenty-five members of the crew of the steamer City of Troy, which burned to the water's edge in the Hudson last night, arrived in New York from Dobbs Ferry early to-day and told how their lives had been saved by the bravery of Captain Charles H. Riley, in command of the vessel.

That every person on board did not meet death seemed remarkable. For eight miles down the river decks ablaze, smoke pouring from the hold and flames crackling about the heads of the passengers ran up the river seeking a safety that could not be found. All this while Captain Bruder stood at the wheel, fighting the flames. The passengers stood a cordon of deck hands, and when a man or a woman would make a break for the side of the river, said the intention of springing into the water, they were driven back. The wood-headed passengers would calm the frightened ones.

Carl Carlson, one of the crew, said to-day: "We made for one dock and then another, only to find we could not land. There was no place for us. Then Captain Bruder started for Tarrytown, but we got stuck above Dobbs Ferry. As we neared the dock the wind struck the flames and the fire spread about the boat from stem to stern."

BISHOP POTTER WON AT RAFFLE

NEW YORK, April 6.—Bishop Potter is the richer by a quilt—a gaudy one of many colors and innumerable pieces, stitched together by the patient fingers of an aged woman. Mrs. Gloss, an inmate of the Home for Aged Women, at Fifty-fifth street, Amsterdam avenue and One Hundred and Twelfth street, fashioned it for the Easter sale at the Home. It took plan yesterday.

There were hosts of visitors among them the Bishop, whose eye was espied by Mrs. James H. Kechner, Thomas Revere and D. Hiram Morgan special policemen. The appointments were made on the recommendation of the City Council Police Committee.

REPORTERS ARE NOW POLICEMEN

MAHANOY CITY, JA., April 6—Combined with their business of collecting and writing news happenings, three reporters for local news are now charged with the preservation of the peace and the detection and suppression of crime. Each is licensed to carry a "billy" and a revolver by a resolution of the City Council, which made James H. Kechner, Thomas Revere and D. Hiram Morgan special policemen. The appointments were made on the recommendation of the City Council Police Committee.

SUED BY SISTER; BOTH OVER 80

Special to the Boston American.

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 6.—Betsy Sloan of Morrisville is suing her brother, Harvey Hersey, ex-Mayor, and a retired preacher of Barre, each being over sixty years old, for $2,250 which she said interest since 1903, on a note which it is alleged the defendant gave the plaintiff.

BUSINESS NOTICE.
CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

BRIDE WAS 80 AND GROOM 76

Special to the Boston American.

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 6.—James Barrett, aged seventy-six, and Honora Dugan, aged eighty, were married last evening. The bridegroom is worth nearly $20,000 and is a native of Ireland.

BARN BURNED BY INCUBATOR LAMP

HOLLIS, N. H., April 6.—A large barn on the Frank Johnson place on Pine Hill road was burned, caused, it is said, by the explosion of a lamp in an incubator. The loss is $2,500.

HOUSE BURNS; LOSS $2,500.

PORTLAND, Me., April 6.—The house belonging to Mrs. Bertha Hinckley on Washington avenue, and occupied by William Hinckley, was burned out last night. Loss $2,500.

Eczema, Skin Diseases Cured by
CUTICURA SOAP & OINTMENT
Dropsical School nurses of DR. JOSEPH'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL Sells. 25c.—ADV.

Secret of Beauty
Of Skin, Scalp, Hair, and Hands in thousands upon thousands of cases, is found in the exclusive use of CUTICURA SOAP and CUTICURA OINTMENT, the purest and sweetest of emollients.

Actual increase of 2,458,581 for twelve months ending Jan. 31st, 1906. This is the record of the
7-20-4
10c. Cigar.
32 Years New England's Favorite.

Let You Forget
We Say it Yet—
Uneeda Biscuit

ONE MONTH FREE.
The perfected X-Ray used to heal disease, making the eyes sure and clear, certain. All the sick who apply at the office of the Omni-Climatic Institute, Room 10, No. 19 Bigelow st., or before April 15th, are entitled to this perfect examination and a month's treatment, without a penny to pay. Office hours 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 and 8 to 9 p. m.

VEGETARIAN ATHLETES THE STRONGEST—SUNDAY AMERICAN

THAW PLANS WITH WIFE NEW 'HONEYMOON'

Pre Gloomy Corridor of Tombs, Evelyn Cheers Prisoner with Hope of Speedy Release.

THINKS JEROME BALKED

NEW YORK, April 6.—In the somber old corridor of the Tombs, where they have had so many talks since last June, Harry Thaw and his wife, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, to-day planned what they will do after next week, "when Harry will be free." With District Attorney Jerome's virtual acknowledgement of defeat in trying to prevent the confirmation of the lunacy board's report that Thaw is sane, and the declaration he will make no appeal to the higher court, both Thaw and his wife are confident that with only the time required for the summing up speeches the young millionaire will be free.

Evelyn was an early caller at the Tombs to-day to discuss with her husband what they will do when the prison doors open for him. The news of Jerome's final abandonment of the appeal came too late for Evelyn to pay Harry a visit. So they had to discuss the announcement, with all it meant to Thaw, to-day.

Then they planned how, when the verdict of acquittal they expect has been rendered, they will go away to some quiet place, where they can be together, apart from the world, to enjoy a new "honeymoon." This plan, it is said, is Thaw's, but it found a ready supporter in Mrs. Thaw.

Jerome Faces Dilemma.

With his decision not to carry an appeal against the lunacy board report to the Appellate Division, Jerome finds himself in about as difficult a position as a prosecutor has ever occupied.

There is little doubt that Justice Fitzgerald will confirm the lunacy report. Jerome will therefore be called on to plead with the jury to sentence to death a man he declared he had no right to be trying. He must urge that the man whose sanity he has just challenged was sane when he killed White on June 25 last.

In the decision of the Lunacy Board, Thaws attorneys find their chief hope of an acquittal as showing what a jury is likely to do with the expert testimony offered. The lunacy commission threw the evidence of Jerome's high priced alienists out the window. Thaw's lawyers believe the jury will follow the example of the lunacy commission.

To Rest on Evelyn's Story.

With the testimony of the State's experts out of the way the Thaw lawyers are confident the jurors will find there was ample evidence that Evelyn Nesbit's story was sufficient to upset the reason of a man of Thaw's nervous temperament.

Jerome is expected to offer a formal argument against confirming the lunacy report on Monday, but Justice Fitzgerald is counted on to overrule him. The two or three witnesses may be put on by the defence to round out the case in surrebuttal. Dr. Hamilton, the alienist, whose testimony precipitated the insanity inquiry may be called. He believes Thaw was insane when he killed White.

As to the question of the defendent's present sanity has been settled Thaw's lawyers would like to get his testimony into the record.

Then will come the summing up speeches, [illegible] as may use most of Monday and Tuesday and Jerome is supposed to talk on Wednesday. In this event the case should go to the jury Wednesday night of Thursday morning.

THAW WOMEN PLAN REUNION WHEN HARRY IS SET FREE

Mrs. William Thaw and the Countess of Yarmouth, leaving Criminal Courts building, declare confidence in acquittal. From a snapshot by AMERICAN staff photographer.

MRS. WILLIAM THAW.

COUNTESS OF YARMOUTH.

GREAT CROWD SAW RACES AT BENNINGS

BENNINGS RACE TRACK, Washington, April 6.—The Washington Jockey Club saw its heyday here this afternoon when a throng of 6,000 racegoers trooped into the course bent on seeing the annual Chevy Chase steeplechase run and won. It was at once the most fashionable and the largest crowd of the meeting. Secretarially all Washington went a-racing this afternoon, while New York sent down a contingent of 250 enthusiasts by the early train. The New York express resembled a race track special train, lodged by the way the coaches were emptied as the flyer stopped at the Bennings flag station, while on route to the city. Despite the feud in society over the entry of the Spreckels into the Chevy Chase Hunt Club, the smart set of the capital city was fully represented at the clubhouse, a gay scene was presented here, the lobbies and the lawn were crowded. The Chevy Chase steeplechase is one of the best-known sporting races of the American turf. It is a steeplechase at two and one-half miles for hunting horses, to be ridden by members of the exclusive Chevy Chase club of this city, and from the recognized hunt clubs of Virginia and Maryland.

The riders wear pink riding coats and high, stylish-looking black hats. A good cold trophy goes to the winner. The track was fast again to-day, and the weather a bit colder than usual.

RAILROAD TO BURN SMOKE

Smoke-consuming apparatus attached to the engines is the scheme adopted by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad for relieving the nuisance along its lines.

The fire boxes are to be so arranged by means of draughts that coal will be ignited the moment it reaches the fire and gases consumed.

WIFE SLAYER IS DYING IN JAIL

Special to the Boston American.

NEWPORT, Vt., April 6.—Dwight A. Niles, who shot and killed his wife at Newport Centre last Saturday and attempted suicide by cutting his throat immediately after his arrest, is seriously ill with pneumonia in Orleans County Jail and is not expected to live.

ASKS DIVORCE; SAYS HE'S NO. 2

Special to the Boston American.

GARDINER, Me., April 6.—Charles F. Lancaster has brought suit for divorce against his wife, Annie, alleging that she told him she had never been married before, when, as a matter of fact, she had been married to Ireland in 1884 to Barney Gulliher, when she was but thirteen years old, and had never been divorced.

$6,000,000 IN CARNEGIE GIFT

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 6.—Andrew Carnegie has notified the president and trustees of the Pittsburg Carnegie Institute that he is sending them $6,000,000. Of this amount $5,000,000 is United States Steel Corporation five per cent. bonds and $1,000,000 in cash.

The cash is to be used in erecting more technical school buildings. The bonds are an endowment.

MRS. M'GOVERN FREES 'TERRY'

STAMFORD, Ct., April 6.—Terry McGovern, the former champion fighter, who was brought to a sanatorium here December 9, left that institution yesterday.

Mrs. McGovern insisted that her husband leave and he walked out. Dr. A. J. Givens, who has looked after McGovern's health, says McGovern is in good health at the present time.

SAYS MERRY DEL VAL PLANS TO RESIGN

LONDON, April 6.—A dispatch from Rome says Cardinal Merry Del Val will probably resign as papal secretary of state as a result of the publication of the so-called Montagnini documents. He will not do so until the sensation created by the publication has subsided.

ELECT TUTTLE HEAD OF SOMERSET R. R.

PORTLAND, Me., April 6.—President Tuttle of the Boston & Maine and Maine Central Railroads was yesterday elected president of the reorganized Somerset Railway, purchased this week by the Maine Central.

SHOOTS TWO AND KILLS SELF

By Boston American Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, April 6.—After shooting his father-in-law and mother-in-law Adam C. Rhein killed himself. Rhein's wife, Maime, who is suing him for divorce, said she was the chief object of his frenzy, escaped unharmed.

An additional touch of tragedy is given the affair by Mrs. Rhein who declares that her young son had told friends of his intention to kill her and daughter Hattie. She said she would place this boy in the home for incorrigible, where he was once before.

Both of the Rhineals will probably die.

ESCAPED PRISONERS FIGHT; CAUGHT AGAIN

PORTLAND, Me., April 6.—While the police patrol wagon was bringing two "yeggs" to the station last night, a fire was discovered in a house on the outskirts of the city. When the police jumped off to investigate, the prisoners escaped. They gave four policemen a desperate battle before they were recaptured.

DISTRESS AFTER EATING
Prevented by small dose of Stafford's Ginger after meals. Nothing better.—Advt.

SEEK RAISE ON EASTERN ROADS

CHICAGO, April 6.—The next big movement for higher wages on the part of the railroad brotherhood will be directed against the Eastern railway systems, and the leaders of 150,000 employes are preparing to take joint action.

Actual demands probably will not be made until the latter part of the present year. The formation of a joint board through which negotiations will be conducted in behalf of the men was completed last week at a meeting in Buffalo. The conferences was attended by officers of the engineers, conductors, firemen and trainmen.

Both of the Brotherhoods will probably dis-

SING IN TEMPLE AS MORTGAGE BURNS

While the vast audience stood and sang, Rev. Charles A. Eaton last night burned the mortgage on People's Temple. The money, amounting to $18,000, was raised two years ago.

LOSE $750,000 BY BLAZE AT M'GILL

MONTREAL, April 6.—The McDonald engineering building at McGill University was destroyed by fire to-day.

On account of inability to replace collections the total loss will exceed three-quarters of a million dollars.

STOLE FOR LOVE OF SWEETHEART

FITCHBURG, April 6.—Wallace Conway, a high school senior, who is under arrest here on a larceny charge, admits having taken $100 worth of goods from D. Charles O'Connor's drug store. He declares he supplied them to a girl pupil, who he feared would not love him if he did not give her sweets. The police say that Conway is only one of a number of schoolboys who have been raiding stores in this city.

SWISS CONDEMN AMERICAN MEAT

GENEVA, Switzerland, April 6.—An other great setback to the business of American packers in Switzerland has been given by the Federal Commissary Department which has just condemned 100,000 cans of preserved meat sent here from Chicago.

EARTHQUAKES WRECK FORESTS IN ALPS

GENEVA, April 6.There have been several earthquakes in Switzerland during the last few days. Two on the Austro-Swiss frontier to-day caused numerous avalanches and landslides in the Alps, wrecking large forests. No lives or buildings are reported to have been lost.

FORCE HOUSE; TAKE CHILD

Special to the Boston American.

NORTHFIELD, N. H., April 6.—Riding here in a carriage from Franklin yesterday afternoon, City Marshal Buchanan and Mrs. Joseph C. Kenisston forced their way into the home of Mrs. George Wheeler, which had been barricaded in anticipation of their arrival, and took away the three-year-old grandson of Mrs. Kenisston.

Mrs. Wheeler has had charge of the little boy since he was five months old, Mrs. Kenisston paying his board. Recently Mrs. Kenisston decided to take the little fellow home, but Mrs. Wheeler refused to give him up.

While riding out of town Marshal Buchanan and Mrs. Kenisston were met by Mrs. Wheeler and her attorney, and Mrs. Wheeler secured the pair roundly and threatened them with prosecution.

OFFICIAL OF DEFUNCT BANK GOES TO JAIL

CHICAGO, April 6.—Gustave F. Sorrow, arrested eighteen months ago to be one of the prosperous manufacturers of Chicago, and now on trial as an official of the defunct Bank of America, has been surrendered by his bondsmen for $5,000 to the sheriff, and he is unable to find another to go his bail.

BRICK MAKERS TO FORM TRUST

Special to the Boston American.

TAUNTON, April 6.—According to local manufacturers a gigantic trust is being formed to embrace all the brick manufacturers in New England and the Middle Atlantic States. It is said that Taunton's big yards will combine with the trust.

LOOK FOR
'Golden Egg' Coupon
Which Will Positively Appear In To-Morrow's Sunday American

N. Y. Times Conspiracy Charge in a Nutshell

THE President himself declared that Messrs. Harriman and Rockefeller had joined hands with William Randolph Hearst to form this conspiracy, and were ready to assist Hearst in getting the Democratic Presidential nomination if necessary to carry out their plans. The conspiracy is said to be already at work in Pennsylvania and Ohio, and seeking to use favorite sons everywhere. — *Extract from New York Times article on which Hearst suit is based.*

HEARST SUES N. Y. TIMES FOR $500,000 LIBEL

Malicious Stories of Deals With Odell, Harriman and Rockefeller Basis for Action.

PUBLICLY BRANDED AS LIES

NEW YORK, April 6.—In a libel suit filed in the Supreme Court of this County William Randolph Hearst is seeking to recover damages of $500,000 against President Adolph S. Ochs of the New York Times Company and against the New York Times Company as co-defendant on account of articles printed in the Times which the plaintiff brands as false and malicious.

Through his attorney, Clarence J. Shearn, Mr. Hearst has had served on Benjamin C. Franck, secretary and director of the New York Times Company, a summons and a complaint in this suit.

On Thursday morning, April 4, the Times printed what purported to be a statement emanating from the White House, declaring that John D. Rockefeller, Edward H. Harriman and William Randolph Hearst had joined hands in a conspiracy to ruin the President politically, and to gain the Democratic nomination for the Presidency for Mr. Hearst.

Wild Yarn of Deal With Odell.

Yesterday the Times continued its attack upon Mr. Hearst, printing a statement that in 1905 he had made a deal with Benjamin B. Odell, the arrangement being that Mr. Hearst should have himself nominated for the Mayoralty against McClellan, and then withdraw in favor of a Republican, thus bringing about the defeat of McClellan.

These statements, in brief, are the basis for this suit. Counsel for the plaintiff contends in their libel statements are grossly false and malicious and that the plaintiff, therefore, is well entitled to heavy damages.

The bill of complaint first rehearses the political conditions in this State in 1905, leading up to the formation of the Municipal Ownership League, in which the plaintiff took a prominent part.

Declare Times' Story False.

The bill then mentions Edward H. Harriman and John D. Rockefeller as men whom the plaintiff had publicly condemned for their financial methods.

The bill then cites that the New York Times did publish on April 4 a statement purporting to come from President Roosevelt and which the plaintiff declares false, in part follows:

"The President himself declared that Messrs. Harriman and Rockefeller had joined with William Randolph Hearst to form this conspiracy, and were ready to assist Hearst in getting the Democratic presidential nomination if necessary to carry out their plans. The conspiracy is said to be already at work in Pennsylvania and Ohio, and seeking to use favorite sons everywhere."

The bill further recites that the next day, April 5, the New York Times printed an article to the effect that Mr. Hearst was known to have made a deal with Odell last Fall over assembly nominations, and a similar deal the preceding year over aldermanic nominations, and that a "man close to the inside of things" had said that there was a deal between Mr. Hearst and Odell.

In conclusion the plaintiff declares that each and every statement in these articles and the headlines thereof was known by the defendant to be false when it was published; that the defendant intended to convey, and did convey, the impression, that there was a monetary consideration for a disgraceful agreement; that the plaintiff had offered and was willing to pay to Odell large sums of money as a consideration for being permitted by Odell to name a candidate under the guise of a campaign contribution, and that all these charges were made by the defendant with the express purpose of holding said plaintiff up to public ridicule and contempt.

Wherefore, the plaintiff demands judgment in $500,000 and costs.

C. W. STRINE, MANAGER FOR CONRIED, DEAD

Operation for Appendicitis Too Late to Save the Life of Opera Man.

DEATH DUE TO THE SHOCK

Charles W. Strine, business manager for Director Heinrich Conried, of the Metropolitan opera company, died at the Boothby Hospital, Worcester square, at 9:45 a. m. to-day from shock following an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. Strine had been advised to undergo treatment prior to his coming to Boston but just before the opera week opened here. But, on account of his loyal desire to make the Boston season a particular success, Mr. Strine delayed the operation until absolutely forced to yield to his medical advisers.

Brave Fight for Life.

Mr. Strine had been in the Boothby Hospital in Worcester square since a week ago last Wednesday. Until the hour of his death Dr. Fales was constantly at his bedside. Everything known to modern surgical and medical skill was done and for the past week Mr. Strine was kept alive by saline solutions. His sufferings were very great and he made a wonderful struggle to overcome death.

At his bedside when he passed away were his wife, his daughter Grace, his brother, Mrs. Anna Strine, and his sister Robert of St. Louis. It is thought that Mr. Strine received but his mother.

The body is to be taken to Philadelphia this afternoon and the funeral services are to be held from his late home, No. 1906 Popular street, after which the body is to be taken to Germantown for cremation.

Hundreds of Inquiries.

During his illness there were sent to Mr. Strine telegrams from all over the world and well as countless telephone messages and many flowers.

Charles W. Strine was born in Philadelphia in 1867. After five years in newspaper work he became business manager for John Philip Sousa. Then he was associated successively with the business managements of Klaw & Erlanger, the Ellis Opera Company and the Tivoli Opera Company in San Francisco. In 1903 he became connected with the Metropolitan Opera Company of New York as manager of tours.

In the Winter of 1905, while the opera company was preparing for tours, Mr. Strine was business manager of Sarah Bernhardt, then for Henry B. Irving.

He was married in 1881 to Grace Runyan of Pennsylvania.

BUSINESS BOOM ADDS 50 HOUSES TO TOWN

NORTHFIELD, Vt., April 6.—Because of a business boom here fifty new modern dwelling houses will be built the coming Summer.

CHEST CRUSHED; MAY DIE.

Jammed between a car and a post in the Dartmouth street shops of the Boston Elevated road, E. Coleman, a woodworker living at No. 16 Oscar street, Roxbury, was badly injured at 7:40 to-day. His chest was crushed and he is now on the dangerous list at the City Hospital.

A satisfying beverage which strengthens as well as stimulates.

Brewed at
BUNKER HILL BREWERIES,
Charlestown, Mass.

SAFES.

SAFE FOR SALE.
A LARGE fire and burglar-proof safe with steel chest made by one of the best makers in the country. Apply to E. A. CHESLEY, 144 Boylston st.

BICYCLES, ETC.

WE HAVE 35 A. G. bicycles left, over from last year, all in good condition, will sell them all at a low price. HUB CYCLE CO., 250 Hanover st.

1907 BICYCLES, with coaster brakes, fully guaranteed, $25. HUB CYCLE CO., 250 Hanover st.

WHAT THE 400 ARE WEARING THIS SPRING—SUNDAY AMERICAN

'MRS. EDDY'S BEST YEARS OF LIFE STILL TO COME'

Mrs. Moore, Cousin by Marriage, Declares Christian Science Leader Has Not Failed for Five Years.

Special to the Boston American.

CONCORD, N. H., April 6.—Mrs. George B. Moore, No. 95 Warren street, cousin by marriage and personal friend of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, says that Mrs. Eddy is a remarkably preserved woman physically, while the most wonderful woman in the world mentally and spiritually, and that all reports to the contrary are the merest nonsense.

Mrs. Moore talked to the BOSTON AMERICAN reporter at her first and only interview for publication about Mrs. Eddy.

Her husband, George B. Moore, who died last Sunday, was a prominent business man of Concord and his home was one of the finest in the city.

Mrs. Moore and her husband were charter members and trustees of Pleasant View Church. Mrs. Moore has been custodian of Mrs. Eddy's beautiful private room in the church building since its erection, which is visited by thousands annually.

Mrs. Moore is sure that Mrs. Eddy has many of her most useful years in store and has not failed in the last five years. She said:

"The recent attack upon Mrs. Eddy was most outrageous and unjustifiable.

Has Not Disturbed Mrs. Eddy.

Fortunately it has not materially disturbed Mrs. Eddy or affected her work, while the cause of Christian Science has been undoubtedly advanced by it, as is evidenced by the increased attendance in the churches all over the country. I talked with Mrs. Eddy some weeks ago. She was driving and according to her custom when passing extended me an invitation which I carried out to the carriage a bunch of flowers such as I knew she liked. Thinking me for the bouquet, she invited me to go out to Pleasant View and see some new things she had just received.

One was a sculptured bust of Mrs. Eddy presented by friends, and the last work of a noted artist. Intended to go before now, for some of my most agreeable hours have been spent in that room, but I helped to prepare Pleasant View for Mrs. Eddy's occupancy and was I compelled the splendid suggestions always made by her upon call-ing to look over her work.

"Sometimes they did not agree with our ideas, but she had her way and it invariably turned out that she was right.

"It was so in everything she did, and if so continues. Daily she astounds her friends by seeming to perceive many moves ahead of them in everything he mind touches upon. I found her so interesting that way in the innumerable calls at Pleasant View and during certain long ed periods, when I assisted in the household.

"I think it was a year ago last July that Mrs. Eddy first visited her private room in the church. It gratified us very much to have her say she liked the furnishing and arrangements, which she declared were quite perfect. When in the church, Mrs. Eddy read all of the inscriptions about the walls without the aid of glasses. I was astonished, even though I thought I knew her so well. She is always surprising with her comprehension of things.

"Mrs. Eddy always knows just what she wants and when and how she wants it. We have come to understand that she is right each time, even if we do not immediately see her purpose. It turns out always that her judgment is superior to that of her best friends, no matter how astute they may be.

Sees Many Years Ahead.

"I have never been interviewed about Mrs. Eddy before. What has been previously published as coming from me was made up. My home affairs have been misrepresented in print, too. My husband, who was Mrs. Edd's first cousin, died a year ago last Sunday, after a business life in Concord of forty-five years, becoming when he was sixteen. He knew Mrs. Eddy from boyhood. I have known her since 1880, and rejoice in the belief that her enemies are being thwarted in their attack upon her and her cause.

"If we have said, Mrs. Moore said that Mrs Eddy has most wonderful eyes—that she certainly reads the smallest print without discomfort without glasses, when it was in writing form, in the presence of her legal counsel and advisers.

"I have heard that this is true," answered Mrs. Moore. "Mrs. Eddy possesses indeed a vision as well as other powers. She has the eyes of a twenty-two-year-old girl. They are beautiful eyes I never saw. Mrs. Eddy is not infirm in any way. She would readily pass for a woman of seventy-five years.

"Mentally she is brilliant beyond belief. We all believe she has very many years yet to live and in which to do her best work."

BABY HELD FOR RENT, SAID MOTHER

Landlady maintains that woman who had child in charge simply refused to give her up to unknown girl parents sent for her.

IRENE DOWNING.

SAYS BABY WAS HELD FOR THEIR UNPAID RENT

Mother Gets Back Her Four-Weeks-Old Child After Long Search with Police Aid.

LANDLADY DENIES CHARGE

Complaining to Acting Captain Ritter at the Dedham street station yesterday afternoon that their four-weeks-old baby was being kept from them by their landlady because they had not paid their rent, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Downing asked the aid of the police to get the infant from the house, No. 40 Union Park street. The child was later rescued after a four-hour search at No. 288 Shawmut avenue, where it had been secretly taken by a woman lodger in the house.

The young mother, who was almost hysterical when she reached the station, told Captain Ritter that they had not paid their rent to Mrs. Ellen McQuaide, who conducts the Union Park lodging house, because their clothing had been damaged by a leak, and a lawyer had told them to hold back the money.

Yesterday the couple started out in search of rooms, which they found at No. 288 Shawmut avenue. Then Mrs. Downing returned to the Union Park house for the baby. She maintains that she was refused admittance on three visits, the last time accompanied by her husband, and was unable to get her baby.

Patrolmen Meiles was sent with them to Union Park, where it was found that the baby had disappeared. Later, when the mother was on the verge of hysterics, a visit was made to the Shawmut avenue house, where the infant was discovered crying loudly for food. The baby had been taken from No. 40 Union Park by Miss Rose, a lodger there, in whose care the mother had left him.

Mrs. Mcquaide maintains that she made no attempt to keep the baby for the rent the couple owes. She states that she was not at the Union Park house until late in the forenoon, when the trouble was all over. She says that the mother sent an unknown colored girl after the baby, and that Miss Rose, who had the infant in charge, refused to give the baby to a girl she did not know. Then, Mrs. McQuaide says, the mother became hysterical and appiled to the police.

COREY READY TO WED? HIRES $17,500 HOUSE

Steel Magnate Reported Planning to Marry Mabelle Gilman This Month.

PLACE LEASED FOR A YEAR

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 6.—William Ellis Corey, president of the United States Steel Corporation, who it is reported is preparing to marry Mabelle Gilman, the actress, this month, has leased a mansion at No. 802 Fifth avenue. The lease is taken in the name of "W. E. Corey and wife."

A friend of Mr. Corey recently said that, no matter whether Corey is ousted from the United States Steel Corporation or not, he will sail for France this month and marry Miss Gilman.

The house is a five-story dwelling owned by Florence C. Martin, whose husband, James L. Martin, was a prominent real estate operator. It covers a lot 25x100 feet, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second Streets, facing Central Park.

To Have Rich Neighbors.

As neighbors Mr. Corey and his bride will have the W. Emlen Roosevelts at No. 804 and Mrs. Josephine Schuid, "the brewery queen," at No. 807. John F. Carroll has lived at No. 802, but he will move into a mansion on Fifty-seventh Street.

Less than a month ago Mr. Corey visited his parents in Pennsylvania. He had not seen them since his wife obtained a divorce from him, and it had been asserted that Corey's father had disowned him.

It was immediately after this fair that it was reported he intended to marry Miss Gilman this month.

Rent $17,500 a Year.

Mr. Corey will pay $17,500 a year rent for the Fifth avenue house. He signed a lease for one year, and it is said he will return with his bride some time this Summer and take possession.

The latest report concerning Mr. Corey's connection with the steel corporation was that he will part with the presidency next June.

PLAN TO HIT BUCKET SHOPS NEXT WEEK

Legislative Judiciary Committee Decides to Again Try to Drive Them Out of Boston.

HOME RULE'S CLOSE CALL

A bill, by means of which, it is hoped to drive bucket shops out of Boston, and so out of Central and Northern New England, will be reported to the Massachusetts Legislature early next week by the Joint Judiciary Committees. The defeat of a similar measure last year led to the memorable charges of bribery, which, in turn, brought on the Committee on Rules inquiry, the expulsion of Representative Frank J. Gethro and the celebrated "immunity bath."

In executive session, late yesterday afternoon, the Judiciary Committee decided to try again. The measure now decided upon, drawn by Senator Vahey and Representatives Higgins of Somerville and Elmore of Cambridge, is practically the "Logan bill" of a year ago.

Congressman Andrew J. Peters made the fight for the bill before this year's committee. The New England Watch and Ward Society has jumped into the fight, too, by means of literature and personal work.

On the last legislative day of the week the House, 73—71, turned down the suggestion of handing over the streets and highways of the Commonwealth to the Board of Railroad Commissioners, to do with as they see fit.

Honor she won on a roll-call vote by a margin of two. Early next week there will be "reconsideration."

John H. Carter of Winchester had petitioned for legislation to "extend the privileges" of street railway companies relative to carrying baggage, express and freight.

Representative Edward H. O'Brien of Worcester led the fight against the proposition. "If a city or a town does not want freight dragged through its principal streets on trolley cars," Mr. O'Brien contended, "surely it should have the right to say so. Has Massachusetts not gone far enough in taking from localities the right to govern themselves? Is there to be no limit?"

By a rising vote, 71 to 62, the House decided to send the question to the next Legislature. Street railway messengers roused their supporters from corridor and smoking room, and on a roll-call the margin was narrowed 73 to 71.

PRINCESS IS STAGE STRUCK

BERLIN, April 6.—Princess Victoria Louise, the fourteen-yeorold daughter of the Kaiser, is stage-struck.

After seeing the Australian child actress, Wanda Radford, perform, the Princess was eager to do likewise. But the Princess is a determined little person and usually gets what she wants from her indulgent father, so he consented to let her take part in the dramatic art from Wanda Radford.

WANTS G. O. P. CONVENTION.

KANSAS CITY, April 6.—The Tiger Republican Club is to raise $1000 to bring the next Republican national convention to this city in 1908, if possible.

POLICE CHASE 7 MILES IN AUTO

TAUNTON, April 6.—Police Chief Gammons and a patrolman climbed into a big touring car on receipt of a message from Dr. Byron L. Dwinell yesterday that his fast roadster and carriage had been stolen, and started in pursuit. Reaching City square the police on duty there informed him that the doctor's outfit had whirled past them at breakneck speed, going in the direction of Fall River.

A seven chase is nevertheless a long chase, and the auto had turned up seven miles of road before the chief caught up with his quarry at South Dighton. When the car pulled alongside the carriage the occupant surrendered. He gave his name as Louis Lasalle and his home as Milton, N. H.

TOWN CAN'T GET A POSTMASTER

Special to the Boston American.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Federal office holding in Maine apparently is going out of fashion. At least Uncle Sam is looking for somebody to take the job of postmaster at Lowelltown, and so far he has been unable to find an applicant.

A short time ago a vacancy in that office was filled by the appointment of Miss J. Maud Walker. Unfortunately Miss Walker cannot be prevailed upon to take the job. Business is at a standstill. "Her name is Maud," said Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Reynolds, sadly, to-day. "I guess that is why she is stubborn and won't take the office."

TROOPS HALT STRIKE RIOTS

LORAIN, O., April 6.—With the members of company B, Ohio National Guards, sleeping in the Lorain barracks, and three companies of Cleveland troops under orders and ready to respond at any moment, quiet prevailed last night at the yards of the American Ship Building Company, the scene of rioting for two days past.

Another trainload of strike breakers, numbering from 150 to 200, arrived last evening, and the men were escorted into the yards under the guns of detectives and special deputies.

Superintendent L. E. March declared last night that over 400 strike breakers are now inside the ship yards and that fully 1,000 more are available and will be brought in within the next few days.

HAS NOT SLEPT FOR 30 YEARS

GREAT BARRINGTON, April 6.—William Warner, a farmer of this town, is in perfect health and has not slept for thirty years.

Mr. Warner, who is one of the best known agriculturists in New England, declares he could, by exerting his strength, easily work twenty-four hours every day throughout the year, but that he never has attempted more than a specified number.

He is sixty-five years old, and declares that he never expects to enjoy another minute's sleep.

TREASURER AND $2,897 MISSING

CHICOPEE, April 6.—A special meeting of Court Hasket of Foresters was held last night to take action on the case of Alfred Lariviere, treasurer of the court, who is missing. It is alleged his books show an apparent shortage of $2,897. Lariviere has not been seen since Sunday morning.

Lariviere received a large salary from the Stevens Arms Company. He has a wife and several children.

ONE-ARMED DRUMMER WINS AT COLUMBIA

Kid Gleason only had to use one arm in order to win first prize at the Columbia Theatre last night, at the weekly amateur session. The truth is that he had only one arm to use, but had he had two he couldn't have handled the drumsticks any more deftly than he did, and he didn't require any sympathy to help him out.

To Fred Wright of East Boston, a young singer of some sixteen Springs, fell the honor of taking second prize. The other artists fell far behind the two prize winners.

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St. Louis, Mo. Shoe & Lesther Gazette.
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Grand Rapids, Mich. Furniture Record.
Knoxville, Tenn. Business Magazine.
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Houston, Texas. Southern Industrial Review.
Milwaukee, Wis. Brooms, Brushes & Handles.
San Francisco, Cal. Retail Grocers' Avocate.

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WHITE HOUSE NOW SILENT ON CONSPIRACY

President's Friends Say He Has Full Evidence of Plot Against Him.

LOEB FOOLED BY STORY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Senator Boise Penrose knocked at the door of the Amazons Club yesterday, but until a late hour last night his application for membership was in the hands of the President, pending action.

It is the first time since the Harriman letter became public, things were quiet around the executive mansion. Through personal friends, however, the President allowed the information to be conveyed that he did not recede one inch from what he had already said.

Despite the denial of Senator Penrose, he said that he had absolute proof of the charges that a conspiracy backed by a corruption fund of $5,000,000 was on foot to defeat his policies and eliminate him as the controlling factor in the next Republican national convention.

Usual Political Fight is On.

There is no doubt, however, that certain powerful interests are lining up against the President, and a political fight such as can always be looked for previous to a national convention. Senator Foraker, who is leading the anti-Roosevelt fight in Ohio, will speak at Canton next week, the old home of McKinley. The anti-Roosevelt leaders in all parts of the country report much progress.

There is not the slightest doubt that the President is aiming for a renomination at the next Republican National Convention. There is no doubt about the attitude of many of the strong men in the party who are opposing a successful culmination of such a programme on his part.

The belief is general that the President's whole aim is now the control of the convention, to force his own renomination, and that he would not be so deeply exercised about the matter if it was some one else's and not his own interests, that were jeopardized.

Personal Animus Alleged.

As showing the personality of the President in a great many of his alleged "attacks" on trusts, there was much comment to-day on the fact that the Department of Justice has been instructed to proceed vigorously against the Alliance Trust in the light of statements by the President himself, it is now apparent that he is bitter personality to that trust, not because it is a trust, but because it interfered with his political progress in North Carolina in 1904.

But aside from this, he is out fairly against Forker, Penrose, Scott of West Virginia, Aldrich, Burrows at present, also, as he alleges, in Michigan and the Senate, in order to defeat those men and the category of dangerous opponents, the President is on fiber thoroughly the White House his attack on Penrose, and also the story about the "gigantic conspiracy."

Looks Like Poor Loeb Again.

The gossip of the clubs to-night is the "conspiracy" against President Roosevelt, and it looks now as though the President would have to let Loeb come out and take the blame.

The whole thing, according to gossip, is that Loeb was put up to get in at a reception dinner. The idea of those present was to tell a story that would be so humorous that Loeb would see its ridiculousness and have his little laugh with the rest.

Instead, however, when the "conspiracy" was unfolded Loeb swallowed it hook, line and sinker, quit the dinner almost early enough to miss the coming out and rushed to the President to lay before him the details of the plot that he had learned in his presence by a "tipsy Senator."

Loeb did attend a dinner given to the newly elected Senator Bourne, from Oregon, at the Shoreham, among the guests were former Senator Tom Carter, Senator Proctor, Senator Hansbrough, Delegate Andrews from New Mexico and others.

PROTEST ROOSEVELT ATTACK ON MEN WHO ARE AWAITING TRIAL

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Thomas Crimmins, in behalf of the executive committee of the Moyer-Haywood protest conference in this city, of which he is chairman, has sent a letter to President Roosevelt regarding the controversy with E. H. Harriman.

He quotes that part of the President's letter to Representative James M. Sheldman, in which he says of a statement made by a former close political friend and ally:

"It shows a cynicism and deep-seated corruption which makes the man uttering such statements and lessening, no matter how falsely, of his power to perform such crime, at least as undesirable a citizen as Debs, Moyer or Haywood."

Representing the delegates of more than three hundred labor organizations, Crimmins says he feels bound to take issue with the President on the language used. He says that neither Haywood nor Moyer has any connection with the quarrel between the President and Harriman, and asks why their names should be dragged into the "mess." Before the law and every fair-minded person, he says, they are innocent until proved guilty.

Crimmins asks if the United States is an autocracy where the ruler directs the actions of the courts, and wants to know if the language comes within the definition of a "square deal." The writer says:

"Are you not aware that words like yours, coming from the chief executive of the nation, may poison, not only the minds of the general public, but also of a possible jury, against the men who are yet awaiting their trial?

Crimmins tells the President that in prejudicing the case he is overstepping the limits of his executive prerogatives, enters a protest against such a stand taken and asks the writer to make public amends.

"I'M GOING TO STOP TILL STORM BLOWS OVER"—HARRIMAN

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 6.—"I'm going to stop until the storm blows over," said E. H. Harriman, yesterday, when he was asked if he had anything further to say concerning his controversy with President Roosevelt.

Mr. Harriman declined to make any comment on the statement of Senator Penrose in which he declared knowledge existing about the much-mooted "rich men's conspiracy." He also appeared to take no interest in the latest innuendoes which have been hurled at him from Washington, in the circles of the White House, and in answer to the question whether he would make any more present silence, no matter what President Roosevelt might say about him, Mr. Harriman replied: "I'm tired of the whole business."

AGENT LEAVES RUTLAND R. R.

RUTLAND, Vt., April 6.—General Passenger Agent Charles A. Nimmo of the Rutland Railroad has resigned to go into the warehouse business in Southern California. Mr. Nimmo was formerly general passenger agent of the Fitchburg Railroad.

THE TWO ROOSEVELTS

IN 1901 TO THE PEOPLE

Addressing the public at the Minneapolis State Fair, 1901, Mr. Roosevelt said:

"The vast individual and corporate fortunes, the vast combinations of capital which have marked the development of our industrial system, create new conditions and necessitate a change from the old attitude of the State and the Nation toward property."

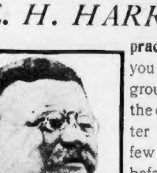
At Washington, April 14th:

"There should be relentless exposure of and attack upon every evil man or practice, whether in politics, business or social life."

IN 1904 TO E. H. HARRIMAN

Addressing Mr. E. H. Harriman, June 29, 1904, President Roosevelt said:

"As soon as you come home I shall want to see you. The fight will doubtless be hot then. It has been a real pleasure to see you this year."



October 14, 1904, he said to Mr. Harriman:

"You and I are practical men, and you are on the ground and know the conditions better than I do. A few weeks hence, before I write my message, I shall get you to come down to discuss certain Government matters not connected with the campaign."

1904—"President Roosevelt sent for me and asked me to raise funds for the campaign in New York State. I raised $200,000 and turned it over to Cornelius N. Bliss, who turned it over to Geo. B. Cortelyou. EDWARD H. HARRIMAN."

BEAU BRUMMEL OF HOPEDALE WED ON A DARE?

Mother of Lapworth Thinks Some Friend "Put Him Up to" Marrying.

Special to the Boston American.

HOPEDALE, April 6.—The secret wedding of young Clarence H. Lapworth, known as "Beau Brummel Lapworth," to Miss Lillian Spicer, the Hopedale farm girl, was precipitated through a dare which Lapworth received from his chum, R. H. Rockow Draper, son of Lieutenant-Governor Eben S. Draper, to the opinion of Lapworth's mother.

The sensation created by the wedding of young Draper to Miss Queenie Sanford, the dancing girl, in New York, and Mr. Patrick's day is still fresh in the public mind. Draper is a chum of Lapworth, and even told him of the plans for the New York wedding and asked him to be present.

Probably a Dare.

Commenting on her son's marriage and on his friendship for young Draper, Mrs. William Lapworth, Clarence's mother, says:

"I think Clarence's marriage took place rather as a dare from his friends than from anywhere else, and if he had given the matter more thought he would still be a single man.

"My son was too friendly with Kristone Draper. Every young man is apt to do strange things at his age, and I think the associations he had did not help him very much."

Hopes to See Father To-day.

Young Lapworth himself, who has been putting up temporarily at the Hotel William in Milford, does not talk like a chap who was dared into anything by one of his chums. He says:

"I've got a real girl in the world. My only regret is that my parents did not know it. I expect to see my father to-day in Hopedale and settle up matters with him.

"My bride is not at the hotel with me. She is at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Russell, in Salem. She will stay there for the present. I want to find out from my father if he can to work for my father or not before I decide where we will live."

The elder Lapworth has so far refused to discuss his son's marriage. He very reluctantly consented to do so, he says, only to indicate that he is well worked up over it.

BARNETT ASKS SALARIED JOB

Nathan Barnett of Mayor Fitzgerald's commission would like to exchange his honorary position for some job with a salary attached to it. Nathan has not yet resigned as dock commissioner, but he has given the Mayor to understand that he will do so unless something is done for him right away.

Nathan worked hard for Fitzgerald in the latter's fight for his present office, and also led the anti-Sweeney forces in Ward 8 in the Kiley-Dixon fight. All he has got out of it so far is an honorary position on the dock commission.

HUB MAN BUYS AT WHITE SALE

NEW YORK, April 6.—T. Jefferson Coolidge, Jr., of Boston is among the large buyers at the sale of the effects of the late Stanford White, among his purchases being an old red altar frontal, $500; a fine sixteenth century altar frontal, $300; a Portuguese altar frontal, $310; an antique Van Dyck valance, $220; an antique mirror, $250; a pair of ecclesiastical candlesticks, $380; a blue satin rug, $120, and a ruby red velvet table cover, $130.

KINETOSCOPE GIVES POPE GLIMPSE OF AMERICA

ROME, April 5.—The Pope, his sisters, Cardinal Merry Del Val and several other prelates were present yesterday at an entertainment given by Engineer Van Nueci, an employe of the Vatican, who, by means of a bioscope, showed views of the principal cities of the United States, especially Washington and New York, explaining each picture briefly.

The Pope thanked Signor Van Nueci warmly, saying he felt that he had almost realized his wish to visit the new world.

Fremstad and Farrar Shine in 'Tannhauser'

Crowded Theatre Storms with Applause for Melrose Singer—Wagner Opera Gets Best Cast of Week.

BY Charles Fleischer

LIKE the previous Wagner opera on Wednesday night, last night's "Tannhauser" was well cast and well staged.

Also it was well costumed, and, as far as most of the principals are concerned, it was well sung. If Mr. Conried's company continues in this fashion one day more, we shall be able to say "all's well that ends well."

Two singers made their first appearance of the week, though they have both been heard here before. They are Miss Fremstad and Mr. Goritz, the former being well and favorably known in Boston, the latter a comparative newcomer who makes a pleasing impression.

If one person is to be selected out of the strong cast, that one is Mme. Fremstad, who sang the part of Venus. Fremstad belongs the laurels of the evening, though the chief feminine role fell to Miss Farrar as Elizabeth.

Realizes Venus to Eye

As Well as by Voice.

It confess I like to have my eyes as well as my ears pleased at the opera. With the very name of Venus we associate visions of lovliness, which make her fitly the mother of "Love" in the legends of the ancients.

Mme. Fremstad's classic face and statuesque figure, her natural and developed grace, her beguiling postures and movements, all conspire to make her the ideal Venus in appearance. Indeed, as she reclined on her couch in Venusberg, she strikingly resembled the idealized Pauline Borghese (Napoleon's sister) of the Canova statue, which I saw in the Borghese Villa at Rome.

The gods have been good to Mme. Fremstad, and, apparently, she appreciates and cherishes their gifts. Venus has given her beauty and Appolo has blessed her with a glorious voice.

Of both her gifts Mme Fremstad made full use last night. Her singing and acting reached the highest heights of artistry. The wonder is that Tannhauser had the courage to leave Venus and her enchantments of Venusberg and had the hardihood to return to earth.

He must have hoped to find something lovelier there. He did find a lovely Elizabeth in Miss Farrar. His oscillation between the two suggests the irreverent thought that Tannhauser must have said to himself:

"How happy could I be with either,
Were t'other fair charmer away."

Miss Farrar Lovely

In Role of Elizabeth.

Elizabeth's pure love for Tannhauser was exquisitely depicted by Miss Farrar, all the more effectively in contrast with the more sensuous passion and fervent wooing of Venus. Miss Farrar composed her character beautifully and moved about as though enveloped in sanctity. She, too, was charming to look upon.

Miss Farrar is said to regard Elizabeth as her best role. Certainly she played and sang the part con amore. She gave rare evidence of histrionic intelligence, and her voice showed to splendid advantage, proving her possession of an organ which will, in due time, fit her for roles of the dramatic as well as the lyric soprano.

The audience, which filled almost every available space in the big Boston Theatre, again fairly overwhelmed Miss Farrar with its lavish applause.

She deserves fullest appreciation for her achievements at so early an age, but I cannot help repeating my prayer. That Miss Farrar may remain modest and continue to work hard, and not be too deeply impressed by the applause of Boston, which is partly at least the expression of our own local pride.

Mr. Burgstaller, as Tannhauser, fell below requirements, both vocally and dramatically. Indeed, he seemed to have fallen below his own standards. It was a distinctly poorer performance than his Tristan of Wednesday.

Mr. Goritz was a satisfactory, though somewhat uneven Wolfram. Mr. Muhlmann's noble basso deserves a word for the minor part of Biterolf, and Mr. Blass's singing of the somewhat proser Landgraf Hermann, which might have been more pleasing were it less nasal.

All in all, an excellent performance carried with confidence through the strong support of the orchestra under the masterly leadership of Mr. Hertz.

CONREID, SUED, WOULD ENJOIN BESSIE ABOTT

Singer Charges Director With Breaking His Contract With Her.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Heinrich Conried was trying all day yesterday through his attorney, Frederick Sperling, to serve an injunction order on Bessie Abott, who has brought suit for damages against him. Conried seeks to enjoin the singer from appearing under any other management. E. W. Hartridge, attorney for Miss Abott, began the proceedings on Wednesday when the summons and complaint in her action were served on Mr. Sperling. Miss Abott is ill and the injunction order has not yet been served.

"I have no idea of any other engagement just now," Miss Abott said. "All I want is to be relieved of my contract with Mr. Conried, and my attorney has asked damages for his failure to keep his contract with me.

"There are many instances of this in the complaint. I am anxious to sing and acquire the routine necessary for a young singer, and all these things were promised to me by Mr. Conried. He failed to do anything that he promised, and for that reason I began my suit for damages. I am a nervous wreck as a result of all that I have suffered at the Metropolitan.

"There was no question at any time of going to Boston to sing with the company. My lawyer began his negotiations with Mr. Conried a month ago, and there was no talk of my going to Boston or elsewhere with the company."

BEAUTY JUDGES CAPTIVATED BY BABY MODEL

Wisdom of Experts in Sunday American Contest Emphasized by Artists' Choice.

The wisdom of the judges in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN great prize baby contest is constantly being emphasized. On March 17 there was published the picture of Shirley Marion Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Thomas of Malden.

"What a beautiful child!" they exclaimed, and the opinion was unanimous. It has since developed that Shirley Thomas has been sought as a model by artists and photographers ever since she was a mere baby, and all have agreed as to her fine loveliness. At the present time one of her pictures is in use by a high-grade art calendar, and undoubtedly receives daily admiration by thousands of homes.

Little Miss Thomas is four years and ten months old, and a pure blonde in type, with a mass of golden hair, and what artists declare is "an angelic expression."

Those who know her say she is "just as dear as she is beautiful." She is sunny, tempered, tender-hearted, sympathetic and generous.

"It is hard for me to keep any playthings," commented one of her friends, "for she gives them away to any child whom she thinks would be the happier for having them."

To-morrow's BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN will be published the photos of five more prize-winning babies, together with a list of those who received during the week the 50 guineapigs. With the name and age of the baby and the parent or guardian entering the photo in the contest.

HONDURANS TO WAGE BATTLE

SALVADOR, April 6.—A renewal of active hostilities between Nicaragua, Honduras and Salvador is expected shortly. President Zelaya of Nicaragua has reorganized his troops, which were scattered after the fight at Namulapa, and it is reported that he is being reinforced with an army of President Figueroa of Salvador and the Honduras.

General Medal, a Honduran commander, has joined forces with Zelaya, and the combined armies are trained in joint maneuvres the war will be continued. All of Honduras coast, except the towns of Truxillo, Amapala and Puerto Cortez, are again in control of Honduras. President Bonilla is expected to establish a new capital at Comayagua and renew the warfare upon Zelaya with renewed energy and vigor. The allied armies number several thousand men, and are confident of a fair chance of defeating the hitherto victorious Nicaraguans.

WOMAN ASKS PRESIDENT TO REDRESS SNUB

Woman Whom U. S. Minister Wouldn't Present At Swedish Court Writes to Root.

THREAT IN ALTERNATIVE

NEW YORK, April 6.—Mrs. Ida von Clausen, who has come into international importance through the refusal of Mrs. Graves, wife of the United States Minister to Sweden, to assent to her presentation at the court of King Oscar, has made a direct appeal to the President by a letter addressed to Secretary Root of the Department of State, in which she says:

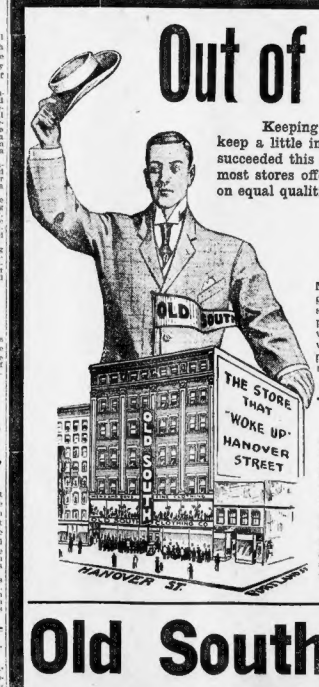
"If I fail to receive in two weeks an object apology for the insults received at the hands of the United States representative, Mr. and Mrs. Graves, and my redress, namely, my presentation at the court of Sweden, asserted by the United States Government in the person of President Roosevelt, the Government will have nobody else to blame for the utimate issue.

"It grieves me very much," she says in her letter, "that President Roosevelt, through the State Department, failed to appreciate the great honor and compliment conferred upon me by King Oscar and his subjects. The refusal of President Roosevelt, through the Department of State, to interfere in my cause, which I was grossly insulted by Mr. and Mrs. Graves, without reason, does not speak well for the officials at Washington."

Giving a list of her relatives of noble rank in Germany, she declares that through those connections alone she was entitled to presentation at the court of Sweden and that for this reason the good relations of both countries is in her favor. Because of this noble sympathy in Sweden, she says, the king's ball, which she could not attend unless presented, was postponed and another of equal importance, that nobility attended, was being arranged for her benefit. She left Sweden, she implies, because she did not want to make trouble for the king, and says that if the President so desires she will be pleased to explain personally, in detail, whatever she has withheld.

Minister Graves has already died with the State Department, various letters written by Mrs. von Clausen to Mrs. Graves, and these letters are depended upon by him to vindicate their stand in the matter of Mrs. von Clausen's presentation.

Out of the Clothing Rut



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Boston American Daily Home Magazine

Expert Dentist Gives Advice on Teeth and Health

(The following is one of a series of articles prepared for the BOSTON AMERICAN by a dentist who stands at the very top of his profession in the United States. In this series of short, condensed articles he will give to the public information that will be of permanent value to them and to their children, if they will be guided by it.)

II.

TAKE time, now. Masticate your food well. If you don't you will take plenty of time later, and pain and money as well.

Take half a sandwich, if you haven't time to masticate a whole one thoroughly.

Let iced water and all other iced drinks alone. The temperature of the room is the proper temperature for your drink.

At first this will taste flat and be anything but satisfying—you miss the shock which accompanies the freezing mixture—but keep on and in a little while you will become accustomed to it and wonder how you could ever take iced water.

You will drink less with your meal, which is a good thing, and you will eat less, which is better.

It is a well-known fact that numbers of people habitually eat too much, especially of meat. Sometimes the excess of food is so great that it passes through the alimentary canal, and is at once got rid of. In other cases, the unabsorbed portions undergo putrefactive changes in the intestines.

In any case, an undue strain is put upon the digestive organs, the liver and kidneys, and in time these will yield to the strain and a broken constitution is the result.

Don't Eat Too Much

MEAT once a day for a person leading a sedentary life is quite sufficient. Those performing hard manual labor, of course, need more, as they use up more.

Age, sex, occupation and climate should determine both the quantity and the quality of food.

Bolting the food is a national and a very bad habit, and, like all habits, once firmly established, is very hard to get rid of. A half-hearted resolution won't do. Nothing but a firm, set determination to quit or break will suffice.

Begin with your very next meal. It is said of the late Mr. Gladstone that he chewed each morsel thirty-two times. We hardly believe that he counted each movement of the jaw at each meal, but rather he became so thoroughly habituated to masticate his food well that it became a fixed habit.

Certainly his perfect digestion and good health almost to the very last speak well for such a course.

Use Common Sense

CHEW until the food is reduced to a semi-fluid condition; take a moderate mouthful at a time—you will be able to handle it better—and keep the lips closed during the act of chewing, for sanitary as well as aesthetic reasons.

The first improvement you will notice is that where heretofore you required two glasses of water with each meal you will now hardly need one.

The action of the jaws, the influence of the food on the nerves of taste and smell cause such a free flow of saliva that the craving for water will pass away entirely.

If you have heretofore started your meal with an appetizer begin now to do without it.

The delicate mucous membrane of an empty stomach is not benefited, but injured, by alcohol. I am not advocating total abstinence, but rather moderation.

(LEARN TO USE YOUR TEETH AND THUS SAVE YOUR STOMACH.

Health depends on good digestion.

Good digestion depends on proper chewing.

Thorough mastication or chewing of the food depends upon the possession of good teeth.

The possession of good teeth depends absolutely upon constant care and upon

The right kind of a tooth brush.

The right kind of a tooth powder.

The right kind of a tooth wash.

(AND THE CONSTANT, INTELLIGENT USE OF ALL OF THEM. This will be described and emphasized in later articles.)

CUT THIS ARTICLE OUT AND KEEP IT. KEEP THE WHOLE SERIES OF ARTICLES ON THE TEETH TOGETHER. READ THEM MORE THAN ONCE.

HERE'S THE NEWEST JUMPER COAT DESIGN

STYLISH JUMPER COAT OF BLACK SILK

BY GRACE HYMAN

TO be strictly up to date and fashionable, every girl must have a jumper coat. These loose little sack affairs slip on over the head and are worn with every style of costume. Made of silk they are particularly smart, but with Summer gowns they are pretty in all over embroidery or lace. The beauty of the fashion is that it is neither expensive nor hard to make; any girl can make one for herself with very little trouble. There is only a seam in the shoulder and one under the arms, and the sleeves; the slashing in front makes all the fitting that is necessary.

Nagging Is One of the Worst of the Aggravations of Married Life

Do You Agree With Dorothy Dix's Diagnosis?

BY DOROTHY DIX

WHAT is the most aggravating thing in married life?

Is it nagging? Probably seventy-five per cent. of the benedicts in the world will rise up and answer in chorus, "Yes."

The man who is married to a nagging woman would say:

"Oh, yes, I know Mary is an angel, and she's a million times too good for me. I know she is an exemplary Christian character and a model of all the virtues, and that she is a fine housekeeper and a good manager and a devoted mother, and that she loves me, and that if it was necessary she would let herself be cut into mincemeat for me.

"But, she is a patent, automatic, never-ticking, perpetual-motion nagger, and there are times when I think I'd forgive her every crime on the calendar if she'd only let up for a little while and let me have some peace at home.

"Of course she does it for my good. I know she does because she says she does; but I'm a poor, weak human creature that hasn't got any big-hearted aspirations after perfection, and only wants to be left to enjoy a few little faults in comfort.

"But I don't get to do it. Now, I'm what you call a moderate smoker. I like a cigar after meals and my pipe at bedtime, but never in all of the fifteen years that I have been married have I been permitted to indulge in that mild luxury without a resume of the literature of the Anti-Tobacco Society being poured into my unwilling ears.

Nag, Nag, Nag

"IT'S nag, nag, nag about the injurious effects of nicotine on my heart and brain and liver.

"It's nag, nag, nag about the waste of money that might be sent to the heathens.

"It's nag, nag, nag about a disgusting habit that scents up the curtains and gives the room the atmosphere of a barroom.

"And sometimes I answer back, and we have a free, fierce and tongs. And sometimes I don't, but routney myself with gazing through the smoke rings and wondering if Mrs. Jones-Smith has been a lot happier if I had married Flossie, who is giddy and unreliable, but would have emoked a cigarette with me, instead of the estimable lady I did espouse, who is a pattern of perfection, but who feels called on to break me of using the weed.

"I never was drunk in my life, and yet if I take a glass of beer and my wife finds it out I am subjected to an inquisition that lasts three days, during which I am continually told of the different awful ends I am sure to come to and shown what a *terrible* example I am to my children.

"But I stay out at night for an hour beyond the ring limit which has been allotted me I am good for a three-hour curtain lecture as a nickel is for a ginger cake.

"And that isn't the worst of it. If a woman is a real fruitcless nagger there is never any real let-up to it. No subject is ever finished and done with in our household. No incident is ever closed.

"When I breathe a sigh of relief and say to myself, 'Thank God, there is nothing more that can be said about that,' I find that my wife has just got her second wind and is ready to begin it all over again.

"And such a memory as that woman has! Wonderful! Marvellous! Phenomenal! Nothing like it was ever known in life before.

"In all the fifteen years that we have been married—and sometimes it seems to me that it must be fifteen hundred years—she's never forgotten one single mistake that I have made or an error in judgment that I have been guilty of or a slip or a side step that I have taken. No, sir, not one. She's got every one of them on the tip of her tongue where she can reach 'em handy at a second's notice and throw them at my defenceless head.

"Once I took a flyer in stocks and lost a couple of thousand dollars, and I have never heard the last of that, and I never shall until I am nailed down in my coffin.

"Every time, from that day to this, that I have said that we couldn't afford anything, my wife has harped on the subject of what we might have done if I hadn't been fool enough to get trimmed up in Wall street. Every time I express an opinion on a financial subject I get a knockout from her for that speculation.

DOROTHY DIX

Like a Stuffed Club

"EVERY time I get a little chesty or about doing a neat little stroke of business she lugs it in. It's sort of a stuffed club that she keeps sitting around to bat me over the head with.

"And it's the same way with everything that goes wrong. She can't let it rest. There is no such word in her vocabulary as forget it. And she can't let the things that I do, my own little personal habits and tastes, however innocent, alone.

"She's at me morning, noon and night about them until, to avoid the domestic lyceum bureau, I am at home as little as possible.

"Yet we have everything to make life happy, and we might be happy except for the nagging. No I say that the most aggravating thing in married life is nagging. Anything else for mine."

Ladies, what do you say? Is he right?

DOROTHY DIX.

WRITE your views on the subject, "WHAT IS THE MOST AGGRAVATING THING IN MARRIED LIFE?" and send them to Dorothy Dix, Boston American, No. 86 Summer street, Boston

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DAISY CAKE

CREAM one heaping teaspoon of butter until light colored and waxy. Then add gradually one cup of sugar and cream until light. Add one cup of sweet milk and two cups of pastry flour, in which one-half teaspoonful of soda and one of cream of tartar have been sifted alternately, one teaspoon of vanilla, and lastly the whites of two eggs beaten stiff. Bake about thirty minutes. This is a good receipt for a fairly cheap cake.

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Box 186, Needham, Mass.

ORANGE CUSTARD

PLACE in a double boiler one pint of milk to scald (not boil). Beat the yolks of three eggs, one cup of sugar and pinch of salt together and stir into the milk. Let boil until thick and smooth; take from fire, put to cool, add vanilla. Cut two oranges into pieces, cover with sugar, and when custard is cold pour over oranges. Beat whites to a stiff froth, add sugar and flavor. Drop in spoonfuls on custard. Serve with plain cake.

MISS HATTIE WILLIAMS.
No. 21 Billings street, Dorchester.

APPLE WHIPPED CREAM PIE

TWO eggs, one cup of sugar, one-half cup of butter, one-half cup of milk, two cups of flour, three teaspoons of baking powder. Bake in layers.

FILLING.

Take the whites of two eggs, one grated sour apple, one cup granulated sugar, one teaspoon vanilla. Beat stiff. This is delicious.

MRS. J. A. CARPENTER.
No. 20 Rodbury street, Roxbury.

SMOTHERED BEEF

IN a closely covered bean pot put a pound of beef. Cook in a moderate oven for two hours; then increase the heat and cook until done. The meat is easily pierced with a fork. Pour off the gravy, and to it add as much water; season with salt, pepper and a little vinegar; thicken with a little flour and butter rubbed together. Serve in thin slices. Strained tomatoes may be added instead of water if one chooses.

MRS. J. F. RICHARDSON.
Box 38, South Paris, Me.

HOT MUFFINS

ONE large cup of flour sifted with a teaspoon of baking powder and a scant half teaspoon of salt. Beat one egg and a half cup of milk and water, a teaspoon of sugar, a large tablespoon butter, melted together, and then add the flour. Bake in gem pans in a hot oven for about twenty minutes.

MISS JEANNETTE MacDONALD.
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"THE BRACEBRIDGE DIAMONDS," Or The Heart of a Woman"

By Gregory Townsend

CHAPTER LXXXIII.

In Mystery's Tangle

A QUARTER of an hour later, as they lighted cigars and leaned back with the utmost sense of restfreshment, Frank said:

"Well, what do you think about that letter?"

"Your cousin's?"

"Yes."

"I don't know. It's too hot to attempt to think to-day."

"But you may have an idea."

"Perhaps."

"I don't like parables—perhaps what?"

"That the Baron Slavinsky might be able to throw some light upon the mystery, provided he were alive."

"Why shouldn't he be alive?"

"God knows! Who was the dead man in the trunk?"

"Slavinsky? Absurd—"

"Why absurd? Suppose your cousin made one mad and final attempt to see the Baroness. Half a dozen drinks, for instance, might have worked him up to that pitch, and then—"

"Yes—and then," Frank said excitedly. "Just so—and then?"

"Well, and then something probably happened. Somebody went to Cleveland in a baroness trunk. It was not your cousin."

"Good heavens!" Frank exclaimed. "I can never believe that. No, no, no. Besides, I know positively that the man in the trunk, whoever he may be, is not her husband."

"How do you know that?" said Loftus, quickly.

"Because," said Frank, impressively, leaning forward, "because Mueller is her husband.

Mike Loftus was not easily startled, but he sat bolt upright with an exclamation.

"Mueller!" he ejaculated. "How do you know?"

"She told me so," responded Frank.

Loftus leaned back and laughed.

"Just so—she told you so," he said, forcibly. "And you believed it?"

"Yes, I did and I do."

"Still?"

"Yes, thoroughly."

The Blunt Truth

"A woman who planted a corpse on you and then ran away, leaving you to take the consequences. You could accept the word of a woman like that?"

"Well," Frank said, in some confusion, "of course circumstances are very much against her. Still—"

"Fiddlesticks, man!" said Loftus. "I want to keep you out of this mess, and mean to do so, but don't, for goodness' sake, talk such rot. The truth is—excuse my blunt way of putting it—but the truth is she is a very fascinating woman and you have fallen in love with her."

Frank walked for Loftus's mirth to die down. Then he began to speak in low, rapid tones.

"You may be right, Loftus. You have guessed something which I have not yet admitted to myself. But outside of that I am an equally convinced that Mueller and Baron Slavinsky are one and the same, and I am willing to stake my fortune upon it. Let me tell you why."

He then recounted for him in rapid sentences the occurrences of that night at Saratoga and the common knowledge possessed by himself, Miss Mayo and Mrs. Mueller. He brought up the shattered threads of the other episodes connecting the three lives, and then said, slowly:

"You will not be able to understand all this until I reveal to you the secret of the Bracebridges, which no one knows save members of the family and those of one other family, their hereditary enemies. The secret involves the telling of a long story."

"Go ahead," said Loftus, briefly, puffing at his cigar.

The Bracebridge Secret

"Generations ago a Bracebridge of Scotland and a Mosher of Russian birth met on a sailing vessel bound for the west coast of South America. Both were fleeing from the wrath of fathers who objected to youthful escapades. The two men, although not actually liking each other, struck up quite a companionship, because of the ship they were in. Then came the ones with any premonitions to birth or breeding.

"I will not take the time to tell you all their adventures. They left the ship at a South American port and went into the wild region of the Andes Mountains to hunt for gold. They were captured by a tribe of Indians, but their appearance pleased some of the squaws and they were adopted by the tribe instead of being killed. The young men assisted at many rites of the tribe, but were most interested in the queer burial customs.

"This tribe had a tradition that if the bones of only one of their number were to be unburied by the air, earth and water, much evil would come, and they would go to any length to get the bodies of their people after a battle. It was said that the bones of the tribe had ever missed burial according to their rites.

"The years were long and impressive, but the four chief features of them were the lodging of the body in air, its lowering into a stream of running water, its hasty passing through an immense funeral pyre where the garments enshrouding the body were scorched but the body itself unharmed, and the final burial of the remains in earth.

"After the men had been members of the tribe for some years they were taken to their hollow place of worship, visited only every seven years.

"You can judge of the astonishment of the two when, after such a long time, the place of worship was an immense diamond mine, every diamond being of wonderful size and lustre.

"With the enthusiasm of young adventurers they resolved to wrest a fortune from the mine, and they began plans to elude the vigilance of the tribe enough to get away with some of the gems. Before they made a map of it and of the way to reach it, and wrote full descriptions of it. Each took away a collection of immense and valuable diamonds.

CHAPTER LXXXIV.

The Strange Mark

FRANK paused for a moment and then continued:

"Unfortunately a priest of the tribe discovered them and spread the news that they had desecrated the tribal worship place. The tribe was called together, and the boys, bound, were placed on a high rock in full view of the mine.

"The tribe had just voted them death by torture when there came one of those sudden storms which in the Andes seem to be subject. The young men on the high rock were thrown clear of the mine and lost no time in running to safety. The rest of the people were nearly driven crazy in a fury. The earthquake brought the sides of the diamond mine down upon them.

"The head priest, a little ahead of the others, was caught by a falling mass of rock and crushed almost to death by a stray gem. Before the death of Mueller, ruffian though he was, he, stumbled over him.

"With the quickness of a cat the fallen priest seized the diamond and pushed one of his clenched first against the boy's arm. He succeeded in burying it in the flesh. He felt like a red hot iron, and that his arm was broken and useless for weeks, and permanently marked by the dying man's clutch.

"Until these bones be given a burial according to the rites of your tribe, and the diamonds be restored to their places, no man of your tribe shall have a violent death,' the dying man intoned.

"Then the priest fell dead.

"Mueller looked at him with horror that Bracebridge did not comprehend until later. Then he realized what the words 'diamonds restored to their places' meant.

"One of the objects of worship of the tribe had been a magnificent diamond necklace. Three of the stones were of especial beauty. The tribe had not searched Bracebridge before the earthquake or they would have found the necklace upon his person.

"Later Bracebridge found that three most valuable diamonds had been replaced by unsightly pebbles. He knew that Mueller must have done it. As Bracebridge had a small child hears the healthier and better its physical condition will be.

Pulling the toes and fingers of a young child is another common form of play that many persons indulge in. They wriggle and tug at the small toes and fingers to make the baby laugh, and if the little one does laugh and smile they continue it, out of a mistaken idea that they are giving pleasure to the infant.

This kind of amusement, while not as harmful as tickling, has a tendency to make a babe nervous, and for that reason should be carefully avoided.

Never lay a baby across the knees and push it up and down, for the spinal cord may be injured by such a rough form of play.

Many mothers put young children on their laps and wriggle them round to stop their fretting, and never realize that the convulsive movements the head is forced to go through may harm the spinal column.

Pulling a young child by the arms or legs is another form of play that is hurtful, for the tiny bones and muscles are so delicate that often a slight or sudden jerk will dislocate them.

It is a temptation to pull a child up by the arms when it holds out its hands, but a thoughtful mother will remember that the arm or limbs are not strong enough to bear the weight of the entire body, and will raise the baby from the cot or carriage by placing her hands under the body and gently lifting the infant.

When a child begins to notice colors and objects, and plays vigorously with its toes and hands, it is quite proper to give one or two simple toys, such as an ivory ring to put in its mouth or an ivory or silver rattle that makes a soft and scarcely audible noise.

Even at this age, when infants laugh and crow at their own grandma, mothers or nurses should not attempt to amuse them. Just let the little ones alone. They will find plenty to make them laugh and keep them busy being forced upon them by grownups.

POINTERS ON CARE OF BABIES

DON'T play with a young baby. Don't make an infant laugh, should be impressed on every young mother. When some kind of diversion is necessary, these little ones make their own fun by playing with their hands or toes. Let a baby keep still quietly as many hours during the day and night as it can.

Don't talk loud or sing when tending or feeding a baby, for the sound of the voice disturbs and often frightens these little creatures.

To many mothers it is a real privation to keep from talking to and fondling their small children, but they should realize how much better off the health of infants would be if a silence were maintained when attending to them.

Nervous children are frequently thrown into hysterics by loud noises. At the noises of any kind excite the nerves, the fewer a small child hears the healthier and better its physical condition will be.

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Advice to Anxious Sweethearts

By Beatrice Fairfax

HARD LINES

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am engaged to be married to a gentleman of means past forty-seven years of age. He has given me a ring and wishes to marry me in the near future. He says he cannot marry before, as he is supporting his two sisters. I am not in such good circumstances and feel he should not feel put to wait so long. Am I right in this matter? I am thirty years old and considered good looking. Have been a widow for a long time on my own, but it is not sufficient for me to live on.

SINK AT SEA."

IT does seem rather hard that you should have to wait, and yet I do not see see how he can marry and leave his sisters destitute. If he were not a good brother he would not be a good husband. Would it not be possible for you all to join forces and live together? As you have a home I should think that might be managed.

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HOUSE KILLS INSTALLMENT SHYLOCK PLAN

an to Make Man with No "Intent to Defraud" Subject to Arrest Nipped in Bud.

AW "JOKER" JUST IN TIME

HOW 'JOKER' GOT INTO BILL

The Law as It Is.

Whoever, being in possession of personal property received upon a written and conditional contract of sale, WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD sells, conveys, conceals or aids in concealing the same before performance of the conditions precedent to acquiring the title thereto, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than one year.

As Weeks of Everett Wanted It.

Whoever, being in possession of personal property received upon a written and conditional contract of sale, sells, PLEDGES, conveys, OR WITH INTENT TO DEFRAUD conceals or aids in concealing the same before performance of the conditions precedent to acquiring the title thereto, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than one year.

That a bill well on its way towards enactment in the Massachusetts Legislature seriously proposed the arrest of a man who has paid $50 on $100 worth of merchandise, provided that he pledges any portion of it—even for the purpose of making the final 25 payment—was discovered just in the nick of time by Representative Martin Lomasney of Boston. Yesterday, the House indignantly referred the subject to the "next General Court."

Representative William E. Weeks of Everett, a young attorney, handled the bill in the House. It was found on Thursday to be surrounded by more suspicious circumstances than have been attached to almost any legislation of the year.

"The most damnable bill of the session," Representative Lomasney called it.

Weeks failed to explain it in appearance for it yesterday. While it could not be ascertained that he was under cover, he had previously been so regular in attendance that his absence was the subject of considerable comment.

It is said that the law that Weeks wanted would have been very helpful to such of the less important installment houses as make a specialty of litigation.

Regardless of Fraud Intent.

The present provision of these people is in a law that provides:

"Whosoever, being in possession of personal property received upon a written and conditional contract of sale, with intent to defraud sells, conveys, conceals or aids in concealing the same before performance of the conditions precedent to acquiring the title thereto, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not more than a year."

Weeks of Everett, chairman of the Committee on Legal Affairs, suggested only one or two changes in the law. They were important. He would remove the phrase "with intent to defraud" from its present setting in the text, and he would write in, before it, the word "pledges."

The result of which would be to make criminal of the man who said, "pledged" or conveyed property of this description, regardless of whether or not he had any "intent to defraud."

It is clear, the House calls the bill. It was also discovered that the name of Senator William D. Hayes of Fitchburg was printed at the top of the bill as the petitioner for the proposed legislation. Senator Hayes had no more connection with it than the minister of Dahomey. His name was used wrongfully.

Didn't See O'Meara's Letter.

Yesterday, in the uncanny and unexplained absence of young Lawyer Weeks of Everett, it was said by another committeeman that the use of Senator Hayes's name on the bill was a "mistake of the public printer." Several Democrats in the House, reassured by the name of the Hampden Senator, had been with the bill on Thursday. Yesterday, they switched.

It was said, further, that members of the Committee on Legal Affairs had not seen a letter written to the committee by Police Commissioner O'Meara.

Mr. O'Meara, who is very much opposed to the sort of legislation that Weeks of Everett would like, had this to say in his letter:

"For legitimate police purposes this department has an elaborate system of tracing stolen watches. The persons whose business it is to sell watches on instalments made constant and interesting use of this system for their own purposes, with very few resulting criminal convictions. If they recovered their watches, they were installed. The machinery of the Police Department, and the work of its inspectors were thus made an attachment of a private business, which charges its purchasers prices in proportion to its risks.

To Use Police for Private Ends.

"Having failed here, the attempt is now making to force upon the Police Department by indirection something which is practically a business partnership, with all the profits on the side of private interests, and all that neither this bill nor any other of similar effect will receive the support of your committee."

Notwithstanding which letter, chairman Weeks of Everett worked for the bill. It developed that Senator Hayes's name had been substituted for that of the real petitioner, John J. Lomasney, found to be in the instalment business. "By mistake," his name was switched into a Hayes' bill.

"It seems to me," said Representative Charles D. B. Fisk of Ward 25, "that it is only right to do all that we can to curtail these modern Shylocks."

The cheerful alacrity with which the House consented to Mr. Lomasney's wish, "reference to the next General Court," indicated that the legislators would quite as cheerfully have turned the thing down for good and all.

PUT "JOKER" IN INSTALMENT BILL

Chairman of Legal Affairs Committee fails, however, to be on hand to defend clause to make criminal of man with no "intent to defraud."

REP. WILLIAM E. WEEKS. CHICKERING PHOTO.

LABOR PEACE TALK AT HOME OF CARNEGIE

Employers and Union Leaders Discuss Industrial Problems at Steel King's Mansion.

OVER 400 ARE PRESENT

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 6.—In the interests of industrial peace and as a "home" prelude to the coming international peace conference, the palace of Andrew Carnegie at Ninety-first street and Fifth avenue was thrown open last night, and 400 or more employers, employes and labor leaders met on equal footing and received an equal welcome.

There were speakers from both the ranks of capital and labor, and they found a common ground in the necessity for arbitration in the great improvement of conditions that has come with the development of trade agreements.

An International Problem.

It was pointed out that industrial peace was an international problem, and that it must be worked out in the same way as international peace.

The announcement of an industrial peace conference, to which all nations would be invited to send delegates, was greeted with much applause. The success of such a conference, when called in the coming Fall, was freely predicted.

Mr. Carnegie in a spirited speech of welcome declared that it was not a question of wages that caused strikes, but rather a question of the lack of consideration of employers for their employes. He believed that arbitration and trade agreements would bring about this consideration.

August Belmont, who presided, put forward the only gloomy thought of the evening that the prosperity of this country had been so rapid and great that we must expect the end and a possible reaction.

Warning of "Hard Times."

He declared that industrial peace was easy enough in times of prosperity, but care must be taken to assure it in future times of stress.

Archbishop Farley declared that as "corporations had no souls" the first time employes could not get in touch with a fatherly employer constituted the chief labor question.

NEED WARRANT FOR SCORCHER IN AUTO? NAY

Constable Witnessing Offence Can Act First and Get Legal Paper Later.

OLD PRINCIPLE OF LAW

A policeman doesn't need to make a noise like a warrant in order to make an arrest for a misdemeanor.

Members of the newly-formed Automobile Legal Association, who are preparing to go forth this Summer and bein up the highways under the idea that a policeman or even a country constable can't arrest them without a warrant for over-speeding, need to revise their draw.

It is a general principle of law that a policeman has no right to make an arrest for a misdemeanor unless he is authorized by a warrant from a court or a trial justice.

But it is equally well-known and duly accepted principle of law that a legally authorized official can make an arrest for a misdemeanor when he is a witness to the offence for which he makes the arrest.

The new association formed to put the Indian sign on the country constable has sent out the following circular:

To the Chief Police Officers of the Cities and Towns of Massachusetts:

"Dear Sirs—A violation of the automobile laws of this State is only a misdemeanor for which your statutes do not authorize an arrest without a warrant, and such arrest places the arresting officer in danger of a suit for damages.

"This is notice to you that any arrest of the members of this association for alleged violations of the automobile laws of our State, without a warrant, will not be tolerated, whether such member is a resident of this or some other State. Yours truly,

"AUTOMOBILE LEGAL ASSOCIATION."

Several members of the legal fraternity wonder if the new association has forgotten that the constable generally witnesses the particular misdemeanor for which he arrests scorching outsiders. In such a case the constable doesn't need a warrant. He can make his arrest and attend to the warrant when he gets the autoists up at court.

BAR HARBOR MOB ATTACKS REFORMER

Special to the Boston American.

BAR HARBOR, Me., April 6.—Mobbed by a crowd of men and boys last night, H. H. Pringle, secretary of the Maine Civic League, declares that he will cause the arrest of his assailants to-day. The attack on the secretary is supposed to have been instigated as a result of Mr. Pringle's action in securing the arrest of a young man named Orrin Haynes, yesterday, from whom the Civic League official bought a quart of wine.

The news of Haynes's arrest quickly spread, and the young man's friends gathered at the Y. M. C. A. building, where Mr. Pringle made his headquarters. As he left the building about 9 o'clock a shower of rotten eggs and stones fell on him. He received a severe scalp wound.

Mr. Pringle recently attained prominence as a result of his attempt to impeach Judge Chapman of Bangor. His visit to Bar Harbor ostensibly to secure evidence of illegal liquor selling, was a surprise to the residents of the town.

DEAD HAND AS PILOT; CAPTAIN SAVES CRAFT

PITTSBURG, April 6.—With the spoke of the pilot wheel clutched in death grip and a hand extended toward the bell rope, George W. Conant was found dead in the pilot house of the packet Lorena near East Liverpool, O., yesterday. Without a guide, but with the big packet filled with passengers, was running at high speed into a rock-studded pool when Captain Richardson stopped the craft from destruction.

Faithful to the last, Conant exhausted his strength trying to reach the signal rope. His head was within a few inches of the cord when death overtook him.

LITTLEFIELD RAPS BAY STATE G. O. P.

PORTLAND, Me., April 6.—Congressman Littlefield of Maine, William E. Weeks of the Massachusetts House and Augustus P. Monton of Portland, were the principal speakers at the Deering Republican Club annual banquet last night. Congressman Littlefield "threw it into" the Massachusetts Republicans for clamoring for a revision of the tariff.

TRIES TO STOP DOG FIGHT; BADLY BITTEN

CLAREMONT, N. H., April 6.—While trying to separate two fighting bulldogs yesterday afternoon A. W. Perkins was attacked by the pair, and before they could be pulled off he was badly bitten in several places. One of the dogs had to be killed to make him desist from his attacks.

PLAN FAT MEN'S FIELD DAY.

RUTLAND, Vt., April 6.—Several of Vermont's fattest citizens will attend the annual Summer field day of the New England Fat Men's Club at Concord, N. H., in July.

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SAY TELEPATHY TOLD DOLAN OF STAHL'S DEATH

That "Cosey" Dolan, the Boston National baseball player, who died a week ago yesterday of typhoid fever, learned of "chick" Stahl's death by telepathy while on his own death bed in a Louisville hospital, long before anyone else at the hospital had the news of the Boston American club captain's suicide, is a story that has gained circulation to-day among friends of the two baseball players and Dolan home in Somerville, the report that the National player had talked about Stahl's death while he himself was dying, was confirmed.

It is said that prior to the day upon which Stahl died, Dolan was not normal and delirious, and no one at the hospital in Louisville learned of Stahl's suicide for many hours afterward. It is declared that Dolan must have been told of the Boston baseball captain's death by telepathy.

Psychologists explain it by saying that a person at the point of death has a more alert subjective mind, which becomes a medium through which thought plays freely. The news of Stahl's suicide was, according to expert students of psychology, flashed to the acutely subjective mind of the dying ball player in Louisville, and he knew of Stahl's passing away long before anyone else.

DEDICATE ITALIAN CEMETERY SUNDAY

The Italian Catholic cemetery in Forest Hills will be dedicated to-morrow, unless the weather is inclement, in which event the dedication will be postponed till next Sunday. The Rev. Fr. De Miller will be in charge of the rites.

N. H. SOLONS LAY R. R. BOSS ON THE TABLE

Special to the Boston American.

CONCORD, N. H., April 6.—After a deadlock of twenty-four hours, both branches of the Legislature yesterday passed the "Omnibus Bill" and completely overthrew James E. French, the erstwhile Boston & Maine Legislative boss. So effectually was the work done that the final vote in the House was 231 to 70.

The Senate went further and made the vote unanimous. The conference committee, which consisted of Senators Bontwell and Roby and Representatives Bass of Peterboro, Whittemore of Hillsfield and Howard of Nashua wrestled over the bill nearly all night and continued in session until 9 o'clock in the afternoon, when they finally reported to the two houses. They presented with their report, it contained favorable recommendations for the appropriations for new buildings at the State industrial school and the Orphans' Home at Concord and Nashua.

These were the two things that French had set his mind upon defeating. During the afternoon session the House remained reverently attentive but said little. When he did attempt once to speak he was met with a slight demonstration, similar to that of Wednesday, when he was hissed down.

The House, while at recess waiting for the conference committee, held its usual "mock session." French took a place upon the Speakers' platform. During the progress of the affair a motion was carried to "lay French upon the table" and was carried out literally.

Governor Charles M. Floyd again invaded the halls of legislation yesterday by appearing before the joint committee on conference having the Omnibus Bill in charge and giving them notice that he would not sign the bill unless the appropriations for the Dummer bridge and the road through the "thirteen-mile woods" in Erroll were stricken out.

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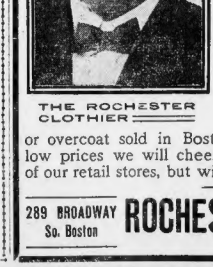

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BOSTON NATIONALS PLAY AT LYNN TO-DAY

Shoe City fans will turn out at Lynn this afternoon to get a glimpse of the Tennesytes, who play against a professional team for the first time in having Frank Leonard's colts in the New England League.

The Lynn team has not had much practice and will probably be an easy proposition for the Tenney crew to master, for the machinery is pretty well oiled up after the series of games with the Turf Conlegians.

Tenney will probably use Lindaman, Flaherty and Donner for a few innings each, with no intention of overworking any of his slabbers.

The window of the three games with the Tufts nine was an easy jaunt for the big leaguers. They simply romped on the college squad, and ran the string out, 22 to 1. The college boy put up their poorest exhibition and numerous mistpays made it easy for the pros.

It was the first time the game was played on Tufts field and the management decided to tax all to witnessing the practice, and the team split up for the game.

The Boston players did not have to exert themselves except to run around the bases, and most of them kept on their fatigue jackets in the field.

It seemed natural for the locals to get out on a real diamond once more and presented at home, pulling off plays with the simplest execution.

Jake Boultos, the cub twirler, handled the sphere for three innings and held the collegians out to order, except in the second when a couple of errors and a hit produced which gave Tufts their only tally. Then "Cy" Young tried all his assumpaw puzzlers and without exerting himself proved far too much for youngsters and only one hit in three sessions were forthcoming. Coach Frank Cunningham, who played one inning, getting the bingle, "Jeff" Pfeffer took his turn for the last three innings and only one hit was made off his delivery.

Little Bates was prominent for sticking. He connected for two two-baggers and as many singles in the three times at bat. As a man to lead off he showed that he would do as he reached first every time up. Hitcher did good slamming, catching a pair of two sackers and a single. The score:

BOSTON NATIONALS	ab.	r.	lb.	tb.	o.	a.	e.
Bates, cf.	4	2	1	3	0	0	0
Dunn, rf.	4	2	1	1	2	0	0
Hitcher, ss.	4	2	2	4	0	2	0
Beck, 2b.	4	2	1	1	0	0	0
Hinchman, 1b.	4	0	1	1	9	0	0
Needham, c.	4	1	1	1	5	0	0
Lindaman, p.	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Donner, p.	2	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	36	10	7	11	16	4	0

TUFTS COLLEGE.	ab.	r.	lb.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Dustin, lf.	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Wilson, 1f.	3	0	0	0	1	2	1
Hamilton, ss.	3	0	0	0	0	2	0
Gallagher, rf.	3	0	1	1	1	0	1
Bell, 2b.	3	0	1	1	1	1	0
Bell, c.	3	0	0	0	7	0	0
Rand, cf.	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bond, 1b.	3	0	0	0	9	0	0
Boultos, p.	2	1	0	0	0	1	0
Atwood, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	1	2	2	27	16	10

Two-base hits—Bates (2), Tenney, Gallagher. Three-base hits—Hitcher, Needham. Sacrifice hits—Bates, Beck. Stolen bases—Bates, Dunn, Hitcher (2), Needham, Beck, Hinchman (2), Donner. Bases on balls—Off Bates, 3; off Atwood, 4; off Boultos, 1. Struck out—By Bates, 1; by Donner, 1; by Boultos, 1; by Atwood, 2. Hit by pitcher—Needham. Passed balls—Bell, Needham. Left on bases—Boston Nationals, 7; Tufts College, 4. Umpire—Flaherty. Time—2h. 5m. Attendance—300.

WHY HORSE RACES CAN'T BE BEATEN

The natural uncertainty of the horse race cannot be overcome.

The man who bucks the game, but you lose to-morrow.

The hardest dollar earned is the money won from the race track betting man.

A man is a fool who thinks he can beat the races by honest methods.

The casual public patron of the betting ring has as much chance as the average patron of the American betting ring. Said "Sol" to reply

Win To-day, Lose To-morrow.

"Well, to begin with there never lived a man who could beat the races year in and year out what he calls handicaps, paddock information and betting ring information. Call the very best information under these heads and then bad it down and it will not be comprehensive enough. It will not. You may beat them to-day, but you would lose to-morrow. The men who make large die incomes to a systematic way on the turf must have some extraordinary advantage over the game. They are generally the bookers and the public the players. Now again, the public is as wise as to form and has the knowledge, and the paddock bureau "cook up," so much that the rank and file of bettors are completely lost in the muddle.

"They have as much chance as an Easter rabbit would enjoy with a lion committee. My advice to the average man is to give up any idea of beating the races. It is not in human skill to overcome the uncertainties of a horse race, so that playing the races may be made a settled and definite business. Yes, bookmaking is the better end of the proposition, and it is fine, lucrative trade until the layer commences to gamble. The bookmaker he today, as he always was and always should be, a commission merchant. He should handle the money of the different betting factors and receive his trading fee from that money in the open market, for his "vig" or "juice," or any gamble. Never for you, Mr. Bookmaker.

"The dollar which is handed across is the one worked out of the betting ring. When you hear a man saying he purposes to break the races put it down as a fool. The turf and its betting is nothing more than a game of chance. The track owners are the serious factors in the thing, for they are the real money makers. They get it all eventually."

In line with "Sol's" idea of the race track speculation is the fact that both George Wheelock and Cheyy Johnson, the turf's two strongest players, ended the 1906 season thousands of dollars to the bad. Lichtenstein was a heavy loser in the best end of the gamble, and will never be seen at the betting ring again. The public, again, the public is as wise as to form and has the knowledge, and the paddock bureau "cook up," so much that the rank and file of bettors are completely lost in the muddle.

'YOU CAN'T BEAT THE RACES,' SAYS 'SOL' LICHTENSTEIN

BY J. S. A. MACDONALD.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—So eminent an authority as Bookmaker "Sol" Lichtenstein says you can't beat the races.

He ought to know, for in his twenty years as a bookmaker, a plunger and a general all-around votary of the great game of chance he has been in at the financial death of thousands and thousands of would be "Pittsburg Phils."

The late George Wheelock, Orlando Jones, Charlie Hoemer, and other former bookmakers playing the pooles from the second or third row, are only a few of Lichtenstein's victims.

"Sol" this booking end of the game does not look to be as soft as it used to, judging from the way the talent is plunging nowadays.

Lichtenstein didn't need any further spur to get him to give voice to a series of observations which came to him from the averages paying at the American betting ring. Said "Sol" to reply

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"They have as much chance as an Easter rabbit would enjoy with a lion committee. My advice to the average man is to give up any idea of beating the races. It is not in human skill to overcome the uncertainties of a horse race, so that playing the races may be made a settled and definite business. Yes, bookmaking is the better end of the proposition, and it is fine, lucrative trade until the layer commences to gamble. The bookmaker he today, as he always was and always should be, a commission merchant. He should handle the money of the different betting factors and receive his trading fee from that money in the open market, for his "vig" or "juice," or any gamble. Never for you, Mr. Bookmaker.

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In line with "Sol's" idea of the race track speculation is the fact that both George Wheelock and Cheyy Johnson, the turf's two strongest players, ended the 1906 season thousands of dollars to the bad. Lichtenstein was a heavy loser in the best end of the gamble, and will never be seen at the betting ring again. The public, again, the public is as wise as to form and has the knowledge, and the paddock bureau "cook up," so much that the rank and file of bettors are completely lost in the muddle.

HUGH DUFFY DEMANDS THREE-YEAR CONTRACT

It certainly looks as though Hugh Duffy, part owner of the Providence, Eastern League Club, will manage the Boston Americans this season. At a telephone chat Thursday with Hugh McBreen, treasurer of the locals, who is a personal friend of his, the Boston favorite, said he would come to the American League headquarters in this city yesterday, and have a conference over the managerial proposition, which he did.

Duffy declared that he was tied up financially at Providence, and that he wouldn't come to the Hub as leader unless he could get at least a three years' contract. McBreen wired President Taylor the result of the conference, and it is likely that before the middle of next week it will definitely be known whether the former Boston National star will take charge of the Pilgrims. McBreen, at least, is inclined to think Taylor will accede to Duffy's demands.

After the conference Duffy said: "I would like nothing better than a chance to show the Boston public what I could do in the way of managing a ball team, and I fully realize the amount of work any man who takes the Boston Americans at this time is bound to have.

"I appreciate the confidence President Taylor has shown in me, and were I not interested in the Providence club I would gladly offer my services at this time, when the question of a manager is likely to give the team a setback on the eve of the start of a championship race.

"I am half owner of the Providence Club, and the clubs prospects are very bright. While my partner, Fred Doe, is capable in every way of handling the affairs of the club, still, as a financial proposition, I think Providence would pay me better than would any berth in major league baseball.

"There is some satisfaction in being considered for the management of a ball team that I, more than any other person, was responsible for getting together. I signed up nearly all the original members and have always followed the club's affairs with keen interest. Backed up by the liberal owners of the club, I know that I could, in due time, give the public the kind of ball it has been accustomed to in this city.

"I took Philadelphia Nationals, a tail-ender, and placed it solidly in fourth place, and this with little financial help. I know that I could have done much better with more liberal backing."

It is probable that Hugh McBreen will leave for Providence next week to confer with Manager Frank Selee, of the Providence Grays, relative to the purchase of Pitcher Fox, Lyons, Hartnett, Doody, Hall and Outfielder Hoy, last year's Providence outfield. Selee has refused to sell any of the players, but it is believed that he will be satisfied if he will get a good one-half our players.

HARVARD TRACK GAMES TO-DAY

There are 283 entries for the Harvard track handicap games, which will be held in the Stadium this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Last year the games were held a week later, and as the weather conditions have been ideal for training this week, there have scarcely had any opportunity to work outdoors, it is not expected that they will be any startling performances.

YALE ELEVEN TO WORK MONDAY

Special to the Boston American.

NEW HAVEN, April 6.—Captain Ray Bigelow of the Yale football eleven to-day ordered practice to begin next year's team to report Monday for Spring practice, which will last two weeks. Paul Veeder, halfback last year, will have charge of the kicking. A punting contest will close every day's practice.

HOLY CROSS DIAMOND PROSPECTS NOT BRIGHT

WORCESTER, Mass., April 6.—Holy Cross's baseball development this season is interesting the college world at large. With but three veterans in the squad, the development is being made entirely from inexperienced college material, two-thirds of the candidates being recruits from the high school zines. The development has been further blocked by faculty restrictions, and all these obstacles will make the real strength of the team an uncertainty until the players are seen in action.

The first chance the admirers of the local collegians will have to get a line of the work of the wearers of the purple will be at Pilton Field to-day, when the team opens with Amherst Aggies.

It would be useless to predict things of the Holy Cross nine at this writing, for the players are far from getting together as a team, as a glance at the practice of any Ar last week would show.

It is getting to be a common thing to be of the remark on the street that Holy Cross is always able to turn out a strong team before the season is over, no matter what the prospects are at the start. This remark is prompted no doubt by what has happened at Holy Cross in other years when the team opened apparently facing a disastrous season but finished always respectable at its close.

Two-thirds of the team as selected by Coach Carney are freshmen, and it is his plan to look after the team's development with a foresight of next year's success. "We'll be satisfied if we win one-half our games" is the way he put it.

The last cut in the squad has been announced and those are now:

Catchers, Bond, McMahon, O'Hearn and Dunnion, pitchers; Sweeney and Larkin, catchers; Carney, Orchard, Cashen, Barry, Eddie Flynn, Steve Flynn, Burke, Flynn, Shay and O'Rourke, infielders; Fitzgerald, McMahon and Stevens, outfielders.

The lineup and batting order Saturday will be: Cahill, centre field; Cashen, second base; Barry, shortstop; Flynn, third base; Carney, first base; Orchard, right field; O'Rourke, left field; Sweeney, catcher and Mansfield, pitcher.

SALEM H. S. NINE OUTLINES ITS SEASON'S PLANS

Salem High will be represented on the diamond this season and an excellent schedule of games has been arranged. A meeting of the candidates was held this week and the plans for the season outlined.

The grounds will be secured and it is anticipated that considerable enthusiasm will be aroused among the students. A large number of candidates will be out for the team, including Captain Bailey, Fox, Lyons, Hartnett, Doody, Hall and Outfielder Hoy, last year's team. The schedule arranged is as follows:

April 19, Lawrence at Salem; April 20, Salem; April 23, Salem at Lynn; April 27, Newburyport at Salem; May 1, Salem at Lynn; May 4, Lynn at Salem; May 8, Salem at Lawrence; May 11, Bankers; May 4, Boston Latin at Salem; May 8, Marblehead at Salem; May 11, Haverhill at Salem; May 15, Boston Latin at Salem; May 18, Lynn at Salem; May 22, Haverhill at Haverhill; May 25, Lawrence at Salem; May 29, A. H. S. at Salem; May 30, Salem at Swampscott; June 4, Melrose High at Melrose; June 5, Newburyport at Newburyport; June 8, Marblehead High at Salem; June 15, Newburyport High at Salem; June 19, Melrose High at Salem.

ROXBURY L. S. NINE WINS.

In a game characterized by terrific batting and weird fielding Roxbury Latin vanquished DeMeritte School at Brookline yesterday by the score of 23 to 19.

SOCKALEXIS SIGNS WITH BANGOR TEAM

Special to the Boston American.

BANGOR, April 6.—Louis Sockalexis, the Oldtown Indian, who at one time was the wonder of the baseball world, but wandered far off on the wrong trail, has been in Bangor for a month past trying out with Manager Fred Paige of the Bangor club. Before Sockalexis went back to Indian Island he signed a contract to play on the Bangor baseball team.

Mr. Paige knows all about Sock and is familiar with the career of the famous Indian player. He has seen him play many times from his dazzling start on Holy Cross, then into the National League and all the way back. He was at first inclined to take Sock's application for a position as an April fool joke.

Then he put the Indian through a course of sprouts and found that outside of a little surplus fat he was sound in wind and limb, with no trace of rheumatism. Sock even did a little sprinting and some other stunts to show that there was lots of spring and kick left in him yet.

HARVARD OPENS SEASON WITH VERMONT TODAY

BATTING ORDER.

HARVARD.	VERMONT.
Leonard, 3b.	Green, c.
Briggs, 1b.	Williams, 2b.
McCall, c.	Wright, r. f.
Dexter, l. f.	Whitney, l. f.
Wilson, s. s.	Watson, 3b.
Pounds, r. f.	Partridge, 3b.
Dana, f.	Harrington, c.
Carrier, c.	Gardiner, s. s.
Bell, p.	Collins, p.
Greene, p.	
Bush, p.	

Although the chilly weather may keep a good many fans away from the Harvard freshman diamond at Soldiers Field this afternoon at 4 o'clock, when the Harvard nine opens its season against the Vermont nine, it is expected that there will be a good sized crowd of undergraduates on hand to give their favorites plenty of encouragement.

Coach Pieper has worked wonders with the Crimson baseball squad to date. Although the men are a little ragged in the field and have not a very wide batting list as they might be, still they are far above the average Harvard nine at this time of the season.

It is probable that Slater will be the first box artist to face the Vermont men, but the close of the battle it is likely that several twirlers will have been tried out.

RYAN DEFEATS LAURIE.

Ryan and Laurie finished their match of 150 points, three cushion caroms, last night at the Imperial Billiard Room, and Ryan won by a score of 150 to Laurie's 139. Ryan made 59 points and Laurie 62 points on the eighth play.

Notes of the Harness Horses

"Long Shot" Cox is planning to remove his stable of campaigners from Manchester, N. H., to the Granite State Park, Dover, N. H., in a couple of weeks.

Mr. Cobb, owner of Granite State Park, was in Boston for a day. Manager Cox of the park and Mr. Cobb had a private session at the Boston Tavern, the object relating to running a race meeting or two during the coming season.

John Hood of Hyde Park has had the misfortune to have his mare, Camden Girl, 2.23¼, and twin fillies by Ringen, 2.06¼, by premature birth. This is the second time the mare has had this bad second last season in 2.14 over a half-mile track.

Jimmy Dunphy is busily engaged at the Lexington, Mass., track and has recently taken two three-year-old trotters for overlooking. They are by Mr. Means, b. and B. 2, Lombard of Boston, and by Mr. Means, b. and B. 3, Lombard of Boston, and by Mr. Means, b. and B. 3, Lombard of Boston, and by Mr. Means, b. and B. 3

DEATH NOTICES.

BLAIR—In this city, April 5, William S. Blair, aged 70. Notice later.

Funeral services at his late residence, 12 Holden st., Dorchester, on Saturday, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CARRABER—In South Boston, April 4, Katherine, wife of Frank Carraber.

Funeral from her late residence, 91 Old Harbor st., Sunday, April 7, at 2:30 p.m. Services at St. Augustine's church at 3 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. Monday, April 8, at 8 a.m.

CARROLL—In Brookline, April 5, Michael J., husband of Anastasia Carroll, formerly of Longwood, 64 yrs.

Funeral from his late residence, 12 Linden pl., Monday, April 8, at 8:30 a.m., thence at 9 o'clock requiem at St. Mary's of the Assumption Church. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

COANT—In Dorchester, April 4, Edgar A. Coant, 69 yrs.

Funeral services at his late residence, 24 Glendale st., Monday, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CARROLL—In Roxbury, April 5, Daniel Carroll.

Funeral from his late residence, 241 E st., Sunday, April 7, at 12:30 p.m. Services at St. Peter's church at 1 p.m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

ENGEL—At Quincy, April 4, Isaac Engel, 70 yrs.

Services at his late residence, 23 Acberay, corner Pond street, Monday, April 8, at 2 o'clock. It is particularly requested that no flowers be sent. Interment private.

FINNIN—In East Boston, April 4, Sarah M., beloved wife of William A. Finnin, in the 58th year.

Funeral from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Zelia C. Mellroge, 61 Morris st., Sunday, April 7, at 2 p.m. Interment private. Relatives and friends invited.

FORREST—At the Hospital, April 4, Gabriel T., husband of Mary Forrest, aged 50 yrs.

Funeral from his late residence, 21 Grant st., Cambridge, Sunday, April 7, at 3 p.m. Services at St. Andrew's church, Harvard st., at 3 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

MANNING—In Roxbury, April 5, Catherine, widow of Patrick Manning, 70 yrs.

Funeral from her late residence, 26 Hanover st., Sunday, April 7, at 1:30 p.m. Interment Mrs. Martha L. Curtis, 38 Woodville st., Mount Bowdoin, at 8:45 a.m. Services at St. Joseph's church, Butler st., at 9 o'clock.

MARTIN—In Boston, April 4, Ellen Agnes Hegarty, widow of David Martin.

Funeral from her residence 14 Alleghany st., Tuesday, April 9, at 8:30 a.m., thence at 9 o'clock of requiem at Mission Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully requested.

MATHEWS—In Readville, April 5, Sophia A., wife of Samuel A. Mathews in her 69th year.

Funeral from her late residence, Prescott st., Readville, Sunday, April 7, at 1:30 p.m. Interment private. Friends invited to meet at South station, Boston, for Readville, at 12:15 o'clock.

MERRILL—In Somerville, April 4, Edith Alice, daughter of Jessie M. and the late Joseph A. Merrill, aged 21 yrs.

Funeral from her late residence, 26 Hanover st., Sunday, April 7, at 2 p.m.

MURPHY—In Chelsea, April 4, Cornelius Joseph, son of Margaret Murphy, aged 19 years.

Funeral from his late residence, 9 Dunker Hill st., Monday, April 8, at 8:30 a.m., thence to St. Rose's Church at 9 o'clock. High Mass of requiem at 9:30 a.m. Late member of Division 2 A. O. H. Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend. Please omit flowers.

MURPHY—In Charlestown, April 4, John Murphy.

Funeral from late residence, 204 Bunker Hill st., Monday, April 8, at 8:30 a.m., thence to St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock. Interment Mount Calvary. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

GUTTHER—In Chelsea, April 4, Hannah J., wife of the late Joseph Gutther, aged 68 yrs.

Funeral from her late residence, 42 Park av., Sunday, April 7, at 3 p.m. Interment at Bingham, Mass.

HENNOTT—In this city, April 4, James Sinnott, 62 yrs.

Funeral from 216 Dorchester st., Saturday, April 6, at 8:30 a.m. Services at St. Augustine's Church at 9 o'clock.

THORNTON—In Boston, April 4, Susan A., wife of George Thornton, aged 70 yrs.

Funeral at her late residence, 1 Meredian Street Hollet Sunday, April 7 at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

VARNEY—In this city, April 4, Frank M., beloved son of Charles L. and Ernestine I. Varney, 4 yrs., 1 mo., 11 ds.

WAY—In Somerville, April 5, Clara T., the Funeral from her late residence, 42 Bow st., Monday, April 8, at 3 p.m.

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HOW Will the People Solve Their Problems?

Just as Individuals Must Do. We Quote an Ancient Wise Man

A wise, able, old citizen of Rome was Cicero. He lived wisely, thought clearly, as few men did; died violently, as many men did in his day.

Here is an extract from one of his talks to the men that were helping him to govern the people that governed the earth at that time. It was before Caesar had finished his course. It was before Christianity had evolved to put stupid human beings on the right track. It was in the days when "The Gracchi," very interesting brothers, even if they did fail, were doing their best.

Rome was getting on toward the end of her greatness. Old Cicero talked in the days when money was beginning to take the place of courage, when cash bought justice and Roman Senators easily, when **THE PEOPLE WERE LOSING THE KNACK OF KNOWING WHAT THEY WANTED, AND DEMANDING IT,** when Caesar was rising to the autocratic power that cost him his life.

This is what Cicero said, telling the people of Rome **TO WHAT THEY OWED THEIR MASTERY OF THE WORLD:**

"We may admire ourselves, conscript fathers, as much as we please; still neither by numbers did we vanquish the Spaniards, nor by bodily strength the Gauls, nor by cunning the Carthaginians, nor through the arts the Greeks, nor, in fine, by the inborn and native good sense of this our nation, and this our race and soil, the Italians and Latins themselves; but through our devotion and our religious feeling, and this, the sole true wisdom, the having perceived that all things are regulated and governed by the providence of the immortal gods, have we subdued all races and nations."

The individual struggling to better himself, to solve **HIS** problem, may well spend a few minutes moaning over the wisdom of old gray-eyed Cicero.

Every man and woman struggling upward, or painfully fighting against the down grade, may find something to think of in this short quotation.

Truly, it isn't through strength or cunning or any of the individual qualities that we admire in ourselves that we reach the goal of really useful success, if we DO reach it.

There must be in the individual, and in the people, something higher, a nobler directing force than any individual or national power. And that must be the devotion to the **IDEAL,** single-minded pursuit of **the ONE HIGHEST, BEST IDEA.**

Cicero was an old pagan. He was nominally a follower of the queer collection of Roman gods, the little gods that were stuck up on the mantelpiece, and the big gods that were misbehaving themselves in some vague spot up in the sky.

Cicero didn't believe very much in those gentlemen with their private quarrels and their disreputable families.

It was not the religious idea that he was emphasizing, although he adopted the common conventional talk of his day.

He told the men whom he addressed, as he tells our readers now more than 2,000 years later, that a nation or a man succeeds because he is guided in his acts by his **NOBLEST THOUGHT,** by the very best that is in him.

The people of the United States have before them a very great problem. They own a land, the best part of a great continent that could maintain in peace, plenty, happiness, freedom from worry, a thousand millions of people.

It supports already what is undoubtedly the greatest nation in its potentiality that the world has ever seen. This land of ours supports eighty millions of people. But **HOW** does it support them? How is their government administered? How do they stand in their relations toward one another, **HOW MUCH OF A REALITY IS THE REPUBLIC IN WHICH THEY LIVE?**

Many millions, nearly all, live in worry and die dissatisfied.

Of our eighty millions, more than seventy-nine millions **HAVE NOTHING WHATEVER TO SAY ABOUT THE GOVERNMENT THAT CONTROLS THEM.**

In our eighty millions of men, you can pick out one man possessing at? **MORE THAN EIGHT HUNDRED MILLIONS OF DOLLARS,** 'hat one man, because he **HAS** the dollars, **HAS MORE POWER N ANY MILLION OF MEN IN THE COUNTRY.**

MEN conquered this continent, and **MONEY CONTROLS IT.** Men gave up their lives that **ALL** should be free, and a few men with dollars exploit the lives of all.

That is not the dream of the fathers of this country, it is not the ideal of the men that submit now, not knowing what to do.

The qualities of the Romans to which Cicero alludes, and of which they were so vain, we in America possess. And we are quite as vain as we need be, **CONSIDERING HOW LITTLE WE DO WITH THE POWER WITHIN US.**

We have the cunning and the numbers. We are more numerous than the Romans, and our brain has given us machines of peace and of war that would make the nations like Rome mere children in our hands. One hundredth part of the power of this nation would be inconceivable to the Roman mind.

There is courage in America, there is the spirit of self-sacrifice, **BUT THERE IS NOT, APPARENTLY, THE POWER TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF GOVERNMENT.**

There is not genius to make real the equality of all men before the law that was planned for us. There is not the force of character, determination, single purpose, the devotion to the **ONE** highest thought that alone can bring us out of our quagmire.

There are eig[illegible] millions of **MEN AND WOMEN** in this country, and we are ruled by [illegible] few thousand millions of **DOLLARS.**

Tens of millions of human beings stand bewildered, looking this way and that, at the mercy of a few cunning men with the bribes and the officials with immoral, shameless contempt for that Declaration of Independence upon which our government is based.

How will the people solve their problem? The old Roman whose head was chopped off long ago, in his flight from Rome and from this life, is dust and ashes now.

But his voice speaks perfectly distinctly to those that will hear.

Not **NUMBERS** will protect the people of America or give them the rights that they have lost.

They number eighty millions now, and they are far feebler than **WHEN THEY NUMBERED FOUR MILLIONS AND THREW OFF THE CONTROL OF ENGLAND.**

They will number five hundred millions soon, **BUT UNLESS THEY ARE DIFFERENT IN FUTURE FROM WHAT THEY ARE TO-DAY, THEY WILL NOT SUCCEED IN RIDDING THEMSELVES OF THE CONTROL OF MONEY.**

The people must **BE UNITED IN ONE PURPOSE.**

They must work together, putting the welfare of **ALL** ahead of the selfish aim of the individual.

When they say a thing they must mean it, **EVEN THOUGH IT BE BAD FOR THEM PERSONALLY.**

They must map out their plan, guided by their higher nature, and they must stick to it, no matter where the logic of the situation may lead them.

The people of this country CAN free themselves from bad government. They CAN free themselves from the numerous binding cords with which the Lilliputians of finance have tied them down.

But they must work together. They must struggle in the same direction.

They must get thoroughly into their heads what Cicero calls "the sole true wisdom." And that "sole true wisdom" of our days in America is this:

The people must work, and think, and act unitedly, OR CONTINUE TO BE EXPLOITED, ROBBED AND NATIONALLY DISGRACED INDIVIDUALLY.

THE LATEST EPIDEMIC—MENDACITIS

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TOMMY SMITH YOU'RE STEALING JAM!
IT'S A DELIBERATE AND UNQUALIFIED FALSEHOOD!
M'DEAR THAT'S A PREMEDITATED AND INDEFENSIBLE MISREPRESENTATION
JOHN WITHERSPOON YOU'VE BEEN TO THAT CLUB AGAIN
I'VE CAUGHT YE WITH THE GOODS AT LAST!
BOSS, DAT'S A MERETRICIOUS AND UNVERACIOUS MISSTATEMENT
CHICKEN HOUSE
PRISONER THIS MAN SAYS YOU GAVE HIM A BLACK EYE
AW, SAY JUDGE, IT'S SLANDEROUSLY AND ATROCIOUSLY FALSE, SEE!
I SEEN HIM DO IT
HE BLACKED MY EYE!
A PERFIDIOUS, FALLACIOUS AND MENDACIOUS EXAGGERATION, AND SHOULD BE CHARACTERIZED BY A SHORTER AND UGLIER WORD!
THE TRUSTS HAVE ROBBED ME!
THE PEOPLE'S MONEY
THE TRUSTS
THE COMMON PEOPLE
F. Opper

MONKEY SHINES

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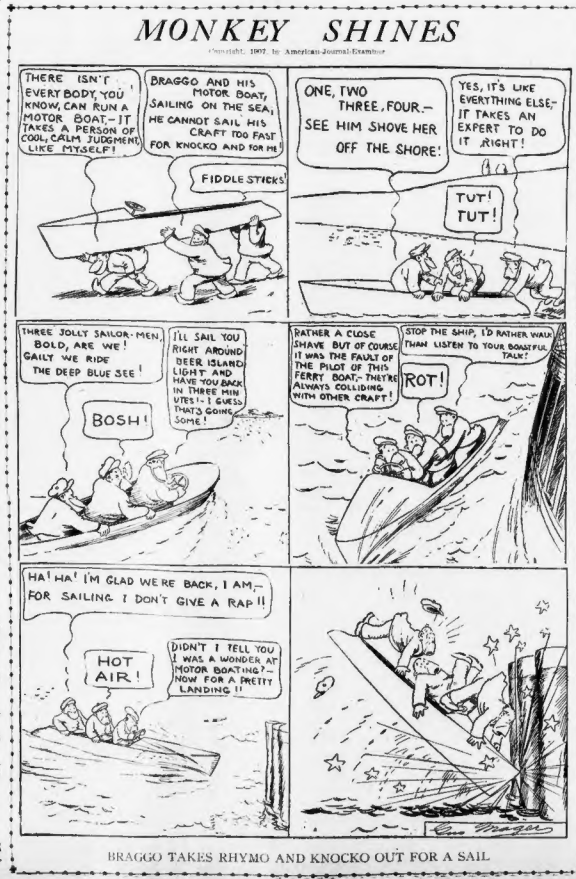
THERE ISN'T EVERY BODY, YOU KNOW, CAN RUN A MOTOR BOAT—IT TAKES A PERSON OF COOL, CALM JUDGMENT, LIKE MYSELF!
BRAGGO AND HIS MOTOR BOAT, SAILING ON THE SEA; HE CANNOT SAIL HIS CRAFT TOO FAST FOR KNOCKO AND FOR ME
FIDDLESTICKS
ONE, TWO THREE, FOUR.— SEE HIM SHOVE HER OFF THE SHORE!
YES, IT'S LIKE EVERYTHING ELSE— IT TAKES AN EXPERT TO DO IT RIGHT!
TUT! TUT!
THREE JOLLY SAILOR-MEN, BOLD, ARE WE! GAILY WE RIDE THE DEEP BLUE SEE!
BOSH!
I'LL SAIL YOU RIGHT AROUND BEER ISLAND LIGHT AND HAVE YOU BACK IN THREE MINUTES!—I GUESS THAT'S GOING SOME!
RATHER A CLOSE SHAVE BUT OF COURSE IT WAS THE FAULT OF THE PILOT OF THIS FERRY BOAT,—THEY'RE ALWAYS COLLIDING WITH OTHER CRAFT!
STOP THE SHIP, I'D RATHER WALK THAN LISTEN TO YOUR BOASTFUL TALK!
ROT!
HA! HA! I'M GLAD WE'RE BACK, I AM,— FOR SAILING I DON'T GIVE A RAP!!
HOT AIR!
DIDN'T I TELL YOU I WAS A WONDER AT MOTOR BOATING? NOW FOR A PRETTY LANDING!!

BRAGGO TAKES RHYMO AND KNOCKO OUT FOR A SAIL

Sin in the Frying Pan

By Winifred Black

JUDGE McKENZIE CLELLAND of Chicago discharged fifty drunk and disorderlies not long ago on the condition that their wives would promise to feed them good food for two weeks and then bring them into court to report. Last week the fifty reported, and not one of them had taken a drink since the change of food.

Good idea, Judge McKenzie Clelland, but how in the world did you carry it out? It was all very well to tell the negligent wives that they must buy good food for their husbands, but who on earth cooked it when it was bought?

The average American woman knows as much about good cooking as a Fiji Islander knows about Omar Khayyam.

Once I saw a German woman do a dreadful thing. She took a good, juicy porterhouse steak, two inches thick, and she tied it up in a bundle and wrapped a string around it, then she dropped it into a pot of boiling water, flavored it with nutmeg and cinnamon and a clove or two, and when it was all boiled into a nice, stringy, tasteless rag, she served it proudly in a mess of sweetened rice.

I have never been able to look at that woman since without a shudder of horror, but how about the good American housekeeper who's going to have dinner at 6 o'clock? She waits until twenty minutes of 6, rushes out, turns on the gas, slaps a frying pan over the flame, flips a fine, juicy piece of good, nourishing, expensive steak into that pan and—oh, deed of shame! she fries it—fries it till it's tough and gray and dry, and as tasteless as two pounds of pink strings.

With it she is apt to serve potatoes fried in grease and some kind of a soggy pie.

Drink! I should think her husband would drink anything and everything he could lay his hands on, just to forget the misery of his unhappy stomach.

Americans ought to know more about cooking than any other nation on earth. Intelligent Americans do.

They have learned how to cook the ragout from France, the spaghetti from Italy, the frijoles from Mexico, the roast beef from England, soups from Germany and the art of broiling meats from our own good American cooks; but the ordinary, every-day woman, who gets her own husband's dinner in this land of freedom is a heathen and a Goth and a Vandal, and everything else that is ignorant and stupid and stubborn when it comes to cooking.

Any woman who fries steaks or chops ought to expect her husband to drink or to take morphine or to set the house on fire, or to do anything desperate that happens to come into his head.

What's the matter with the great American housekeeper that she's too busy or too lazy or too conceited to go to work and learn something about her business—the nice, clean, sensible, kindly, honest, fine business of cooking?

Mr. Roosevelt Will Keep ONE Promise—Even If He Did Disappoint Harriman

He Will Keep His Promise NOT TO RUN FOR A THIRD TERM

A few days ago those that knew Mr. Roosevelt best were certain that he would be his own candidate for President in 1908. It was generally accepted that he would run, in response to "a great public demand," forgetting or feeling justified in overlooking his original promise not to be a candidate.

But things have changed. Since the publication of the Harriman-Roosevelt scandal we have no hesitation in expressing our conviction that **MR. ROOSEVELT WILL NOT BE A CANDIDATE IN 1908.**

This state of affairs is, of course, a surprise to him. But it need not be.

A wise old French statesman said, "You can't hurt any man by his words, but give me two lines of his writing, and I'll hang him."

Mr. Roosevelt gave Harriman a good deal more than two lines of his writing. He gave him a choice assortment of lines. And, while those lines won't hang him, **THEY MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR HIM TO BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY AGAIN.**

Mr. Roosevelt, the man who publicly denounces railroads and railroad managers, **AND PRIVATELY** wrote a letter asking Harriman to come to Washington, offering to let him **READ** and **REVISE** a presidential message, and getting enormous campaign contributions from him, **WILL NOT BE VERY CONSPICUOUS AS PRESIDENTIAL TIMBER.**

The other little tearful, sad-eyed candidates may look up. Mr. Taft may begin training off his weight in earnest. Mr. Fairbanks may cheerily and hopefully count the delegates already "convinced."

For Mr. Roosevelt **WILL KEEP HIS PROMISE.** He will not be a candidate in 1908.

And Ryan won't be the Government of the United States after March 4, 1909.

AND ROOT WON'T DISGRACE THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE AFTER THAT DATE, EITHER.

After March 4, 1909, Mr. Roosevelt will be a private citizen, **FREE TO ASK ANYBODY HE CHOOSES FOR MONEY, FREE TO CONSULT ANYBODY ON EARTH ABOUT HIS MESSAGES.**

Ryan will have less to say about the government of the United States.

And Root, out of the Secretary of State's office, will be working for Ryan exclusively once more.

And that will be the end of one humorous chapter in high moral American history.

These things that we tell you Mr. Roosevelt does not yet know. He is foolish enough to imagine, even, that he has found the long-sought pretext for breaking his word in regard to a third term.

But the light will dawn gradually, even on HIS complacent mind. He will learn something about the American hatred of hypocrisy. He will, as gracefully as possible, make a virtue of necessity, and this time **KEEP HIS WORD.**

He will not be out of work, however. Look at Shonts and Morton—Ryan has other jobs for the faithful.

Little Editorials from the People

WHAT ONE ITALIAN THINKS

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

In your paper of April 3, I read a charming criticism of "Peora's" performance at the Boston Theatre Tuesday evening. As gracefully as anything can be written, the musical criticism was followed by a few complimentary words for Italy as a nation, and Italians as a population.

As an Italian born, Italian in spirit, sentiment and citizenship, I feel my personal duty in thanking your critic most heartily for his delightful expressions, and thank you for offering to it hospitality in your paper. He says:

"I am glad that Italians in such large numbers are following the example of Columbus and are discovering America for themselves."

May I add that as Columbus was, undoubtedly, delighted with its discovery, Italians of all classes in discovering America by themselves have proved their delight by staying here and coming here in such large numbers. Unquestionably the pleasure is mutual.

Will you, dear sir, accept my warmest thanks for yourself and the author of that article, and the wish that such feelings may always reign between your popular paper and the Italians of this country. Cordially yours,

G. COSTAGLIA.

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